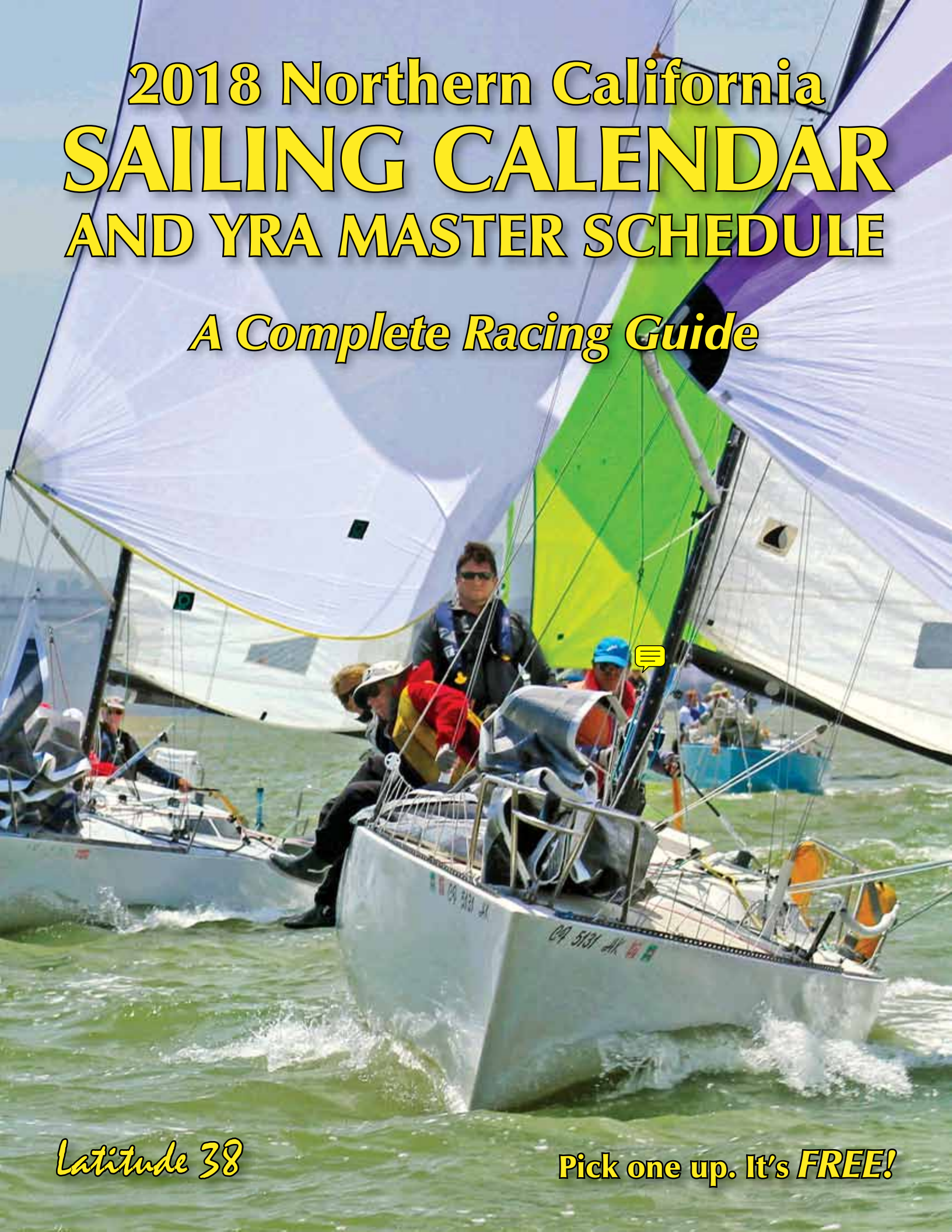


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the YRA Great Vallejo Race.

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Get those certificates renewed and get your entries in soon! We look forward to seeing you out on the starting line for every race you're scheduled to sail.



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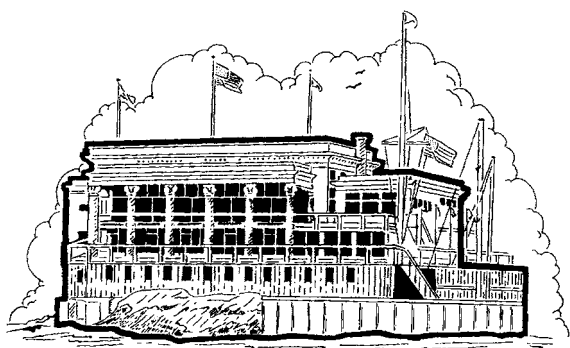
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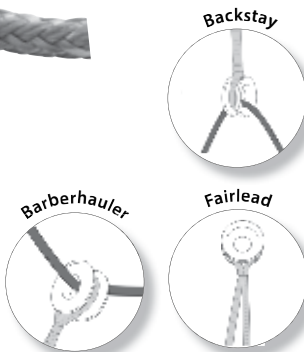


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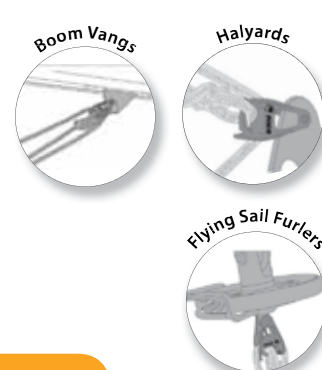


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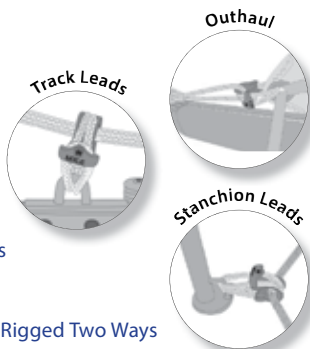


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Latitude 38's Basic Racing Guidelines

Since sailboat racing is a recreational sport, we think the number one rule should be to have fun. Beyond that, some basic guidelines help prevent collisions and ensure that racing is both fun and fair. Below is an outline of the 10 basic rules which cover most racing situations. For completeness and total accuracy, refer to *Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020*, published by US Sailing. See www.ussailing.org/rules for details.

1. **Port tack keep clear** of starboard tack.



2. If boats are on the *same tack and overlapped*, the **windward boat must keep clear** of the boat to leeward.
3. If boats are on the *same tack*, a **boat clear astern must keep clear** of a boat *clear ahead*.
4. **When tacking or jibing**, keep clear of boats on a tack.
5. **Avoid collisions.** If you have the right of way and hit the other boat, causing damage or injury, you will both be penalized.
6. **Don't obstruct.** Don't make it hard for the 'keep clear' boat to do so. (No hunting allowed.)
7. **Sail the course** prescribed. You have to round the marks in the directions specified in the Sailing Instructions and can't touch a mark.
8. **Proper Course** (same tack, within two hull lengths). If the leeward boat came from astern, leeward boat shall not sail above its own proper course during the overlap. (Remember that the windward boat still has to keep clear, even if windward is forced above what it believes is windward's proper course. Leeward still has right of way.)
9. **Give room at marks and obstructions** to yachts overlapped on the inside, except:
 - a. When the overlap did not exist before the lead boat reaches the **three-boatlength zone**.
 - b. When approaching a windward mark on opposite tack.
 - c. At a starting mark surrounded by navigable water. That is, you don't have to let a barger in at the start except to avoid collision (then protest).
10. **Acknowledge your fouls and protest those who don't.**

A free rule book comes with US Sailing membership. See www.ussailing.org.

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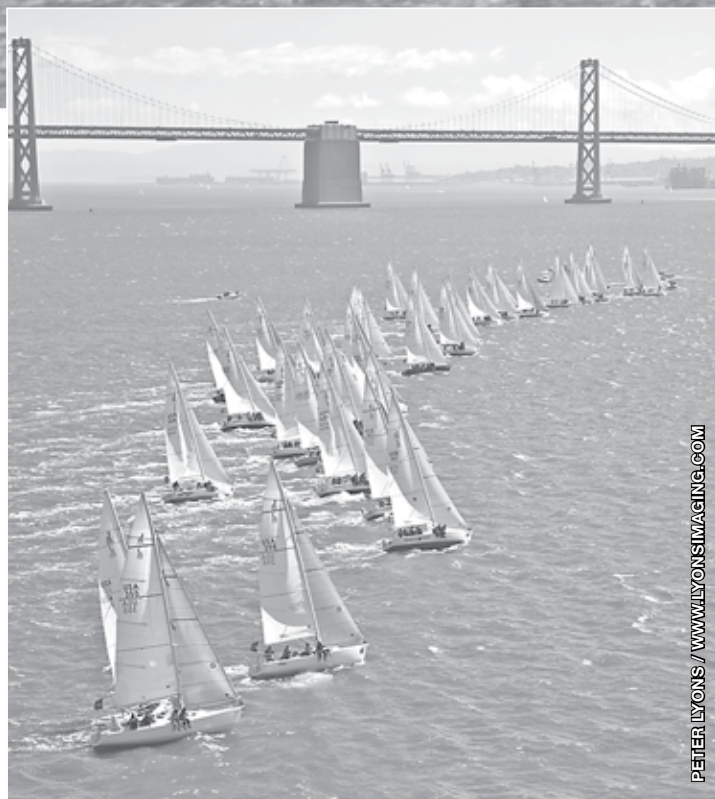
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with Latitude 38. www.tahiti-moorea-sailing-rdv.com
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San Francisco Bay to Hanalei Bay, Kauai, Hawaii. www.sfbaysss.org
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2,300 miles from Victoria, BC, to Maui, Hawaii. www.vicmaui.org
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Mexico

PV RACE • March 2-10, 2018
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BANDERAS BAY REGATTA • March 20-24, 2018
www.banderasbayregatta.com
NEWPORT TO ENSENADA • April 27-29, 2018
Newport Beach to Ensenada, Baja California. www.newporttoensenada.com
BAJA HA-HA • Leaves San Diego on Oct. 29. www.baja-haha.com

Australia & NewZealand

BAY OF ISLANDS SAILING WEEK • January 23-26, 2018. Buoy racing in New Zealand's Bay of Islands. www.bayofislandssailingweek.org.nz
AUDI HAMILTON ISLAND RACE WEEK • August 18-25, 2018. Racing and partying in Australia's Whitsunday Islands.
www.hamiltonislandraceweek.com.au
ROLEX SYDNEY HOBART YACHT RACE • December 26, 2018
www.rolexsydneyhobart.com

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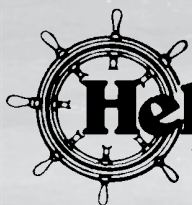
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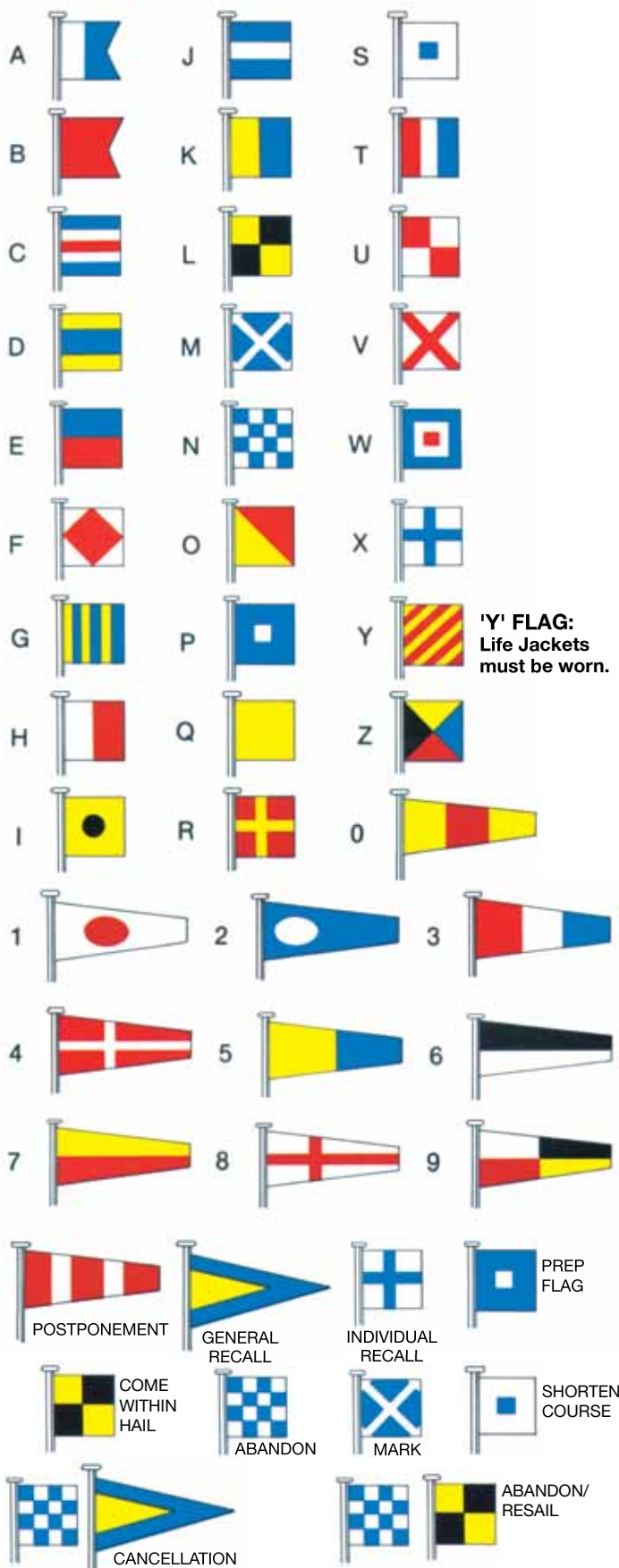


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Weekday & Special Events

- January 1:** • Welcome to 2018
- January 15:** • Martin Luther King Jr. Day



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Saturday

Jack Frost Midwinters #3, EYC – YRA 10
Midwinter #3, GGYC – City
Midwinter #1, TYC – NB
Tiny Robbins Midwinter Series #4, VYC – NB

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Midwinter #5, BYC – OC →
Winter Frostbite Series #3, BenYC – Carquinez
Winter #3, SeqYC – SB
Winter One-Design #3, SYC/RegattaPRO – OC/SH
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC, Santa Cruz

13

Midwinters, CYC – Knox →
Island Fever #3, SBYC – SB
Midwinter #3, SCYC – Santa Cruz

20

Three Bridge Fiasco, SSS – CB

27

Sunday

Chowder Series #12, BYC – OC
Midwinter #3, SYC – Knox
Sunday Brunch Series #1, OYC – Estuary
Midwinter #2, RYC – SH

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Midwinter #6, BYC – OC
Midwinter Island Days #3, IYC – Estuary

14

Midwinters, CYC – Knox
Chowder Series #13, BYC – OC
Sunday Brunch Series #2, OYC – Estuary

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Chowder Series #14, BYC – OC

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Alameda Community Sailing Center

(510) 629-9282, www.sailalameda.org

Summer Camp: ages 7-17. When: June, July and August.

Discover Sailing runs all summer – check website for when Seasoned Sailors and Teen Camp dates will be added. Needs-based scholarships available. Weekend classes, Open Sails and other sailing events will be scheduled throughout the year. Visit www.sailalameda.org for further details and cost.

Benicia YC

Derith Lutz, (707) 746-0739, youthsailing@beniciayachtclub.com
www.beniciayachtclub.com

Dates TBA in late March. YC member discounts, sibling and multiple camp discounts, and scholarships available on all programs.

Half Day Camps: ages 8-12 with no sailing experience. Cost: \$275.

Full Day: One week camps: ages 10-18 or young sailors with experience. Cost: \$375.

Intermediate Sailing: more experienced sailors.

Boats: Vanguard 420, CFJ (provided). Cost: \$375.

High School Sailing Special Programs:

Boats: DeWitt Dinghies, V420, CFJ (provided). Sponsored by BenYC for Benicia High School students.

Open Sailing for pre-qualified individuals with certification.

Blue Water Foundation (San Francisco)

(415) 392-2018, www.bluewaterfoundation.org

Thursday Sails: Afternoon sail programs with San Francisco schools and SFPD to build relationships and provide experience to at-risk youth in the City.

Ocean's Gate Program: Working with Alameda County Probation Department; convicted youth are given the opportunity to make their way back to society; offering both day sails and a multi-month intensive sail training program.

Community Sail Programs: Community groups sails, ranging from science programs and SF Rec and Park programs to Project Avery and Edgewood Kinship, organizations for children of incarcerated parents. Weekdays and weekends.

Probation Dept. Sails: with various youth probation departments throughout the Bay Area and Nevada City/El Dorado County foothills, taking their incarcerated students and students on probation on repeat sails. Emphasis on building teamwork and self-confidence; mentor system is utilized. Sails are usually on weekends.

Coyote Point YC (San Mateo)

youthsailing@cpyc.com, www.cpyc.com/youth-sailing

Weekly sailing camp for children ages 8 to 13 who wish to learn to sail and/or improve their skills. Nine 8-ft. Optimist sailboats, two Lasers for the more advanced sailors.

2018 Summer Sessions: Monday to Friday 9 am-4pm.

Cost: \$450 per session. 15% off for second child.

Session 1: June 18-22; Session 2: June 25-29; Session 3: July 9-13;

Session 4: July 16-20; Session 5: July 23-27; Session 6: July 30-Aug 3; Session 7: Aug. 6-10.

Encinal YC (Alameda)

(510) 769-0221, coacheyc@gmail.com, www.encinal.org

Summer Learn to Sail Program: ages 6-18, all levels.

When: Three-week summer sessions. Monday-Thursday, AM, PM, or All Day available.

Boats: Optimists, FJs, J/22s (provided).

Advanced Race Team: ages 9-18 by application only.

When: Spring/Summer/Fall.

Boats: Optimists, Lasers, FJs, 420s (provided).

High School Program: grades 8-12.

When: Weekends and after school September-April.

Boats: FJs (provided).

Scholarships available through the Encinal Sailing Foundation.

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February 2018

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Weekday & Special Events

February 14: • *Valentine's Day: Take your sweetheart for a sail.*

February 19: • *Presidents' Day: Take your president for a sail!*



Saturday

Jack Frost Midwinter #4, EYC – YRA 10
Midwinter #4, GGYC – City
SeqYC Winter #4, SeqYC – SB
Midwinter #2, TYC – NB
Tiny Robbins Midwinter Series #5, VYC – NB

3

Winter Frostbite Series #4, BenYC – Carquinez
Midwinters #7, BYC – OC
BAYS Winter Series, EYC – Estuary
Redwood Cup #3, SeqYC – SB
Winter One-Design #4,
SYC/RegattaPRO– OC/SH
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC, Santa Cruz

10

Midwinters, CYC – Knox →
NorCal HS Regatta, SFYC →
Island Fever #4, SBYC – SB
Midwinter #4, SCYC – Santa Cruz

17

Corinthian Race, SSS – CB
Redwood Cup #4, SeqYC – SB

24

Sunday

Chowder Series #15, BYC – OC
Midwinter #4, SYC – Knox
Sunday Brunch Series #3, OYC – Estuary
Midwinter #3, RYC – SH

4

Midwinters #8, BYC – OC
BAYS Winter Series, EYC – Estuary
Midwinter Island Days #4, IYC – Estuary

11

Midwinters, CYC – Knox
NorCal HS Regatta, SFYC
Chowder Series #16, BYC – OC
Sunday Brunch Series #4, OYC – Estuary

18

Chowder Series #17, BYC – OC
Midwinters Champ of Champs, BYC – OC
**Safety at Sea Seminar, YRA –
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Youth Sailing

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Gold Country Yacht Club

education@gcyc.net, www.ggyc.net

Youth sailing education program teaches beginning sailing on Sunfish sailboats. Classes are one week long, 9 am-4 pm each day.

Inverness YC

www.invernessyachtclub.org/youth-program-information

Youth Sailing Camp: ages 10 (as of 6/1/2018) to 18. On Tomales Bay (Marin County)

Two three-week sessions: June 25-July 13 and July 17 (Tues) -Aug 3, 2018.

When: Daily from 9 am-4 pm; 10 am-5 pm, depending on tides.

Registration for Youth Sailing opens at 9 am on January 15 and fills quickly.

Fee: \$950 per session. Scholarships available.

Monterey Peninsula YC

junioradvisor@mpyc.org, www.mpyc.org

Varsity Sailing Team: grades 8-12. When: Practices weekly, September-June.

Junior Sailing Team: grades 6-7. When: Practices twice monthly, September-June.

Summer Sailing Camp: ages 8-17. When: Weekly sessions from June through the end of July. See website for more information about these programs.

Oakland Parks & Recreation

Sarah Herbelin, (510) 238-2196, www.sailoakland.com

Sailing into Science: Fifth graders (teachers may sign up their classes).

Where: Lake Merritt Boating Center. When: School year.

Cost: \$350 per class per day (up to 32 students).

After-School Learn-to-Sail Program: ages 10-17.

Where: Lake Merritt Boating Center. When: Weekday afternoons during the school year.

Cost: \$200/10 weeks.

Basic & Intermediate Summer Programs: ages 10-17.

Where: Lake Merritt Boating Center. When: One-week sessions, June-August. Cost: \$200/ Oakland residents; \$240/non-residents. Scholarships available for Oakland residents.

Advanced Summer Program: ages 11-17.

Where: Jack London Aquatic Center (Oakland Estuary).

When: One-week sessions, June-August.

Boats: Hobie 16s, Bytes (provided). Cost: \$250 Oakland residents; \$300/non-residents.

Youth Sailing Team, grades 8-12 from any school.

Where: Jack London Aquatic Center (Oakland Estuary).

When: Practices and regattas on weekends spring and summer.

Boats: Laser 4.7s or club FJs (provided).

Cost: \$395-\$450/season. Scholarships available for Oakland residents.

Pegasus Project (Berkeley)

(510) 414-2796, www.pegasusvoyages.org/project.html

The mission of the Pegasus Project is to enable youth to become productive members of a sustainable society through positive outdoor environmental education and by reinforcing life skills. Objectives: Lifeskills Sails aboard *Pegasus* for youth including youth at risk; to provide youth participants (and adult crew) with a basic environmental understanding and appreciation of the San Francisco Bay; to provide a multi-year track for underprivileged youth that will enable them to experience their backyard Bay through on-the-water activities.

Richmond YC

(510) 237-2821, www.richmondyc.org

Parent or junior must be RYC member (junior membership easily obtained).

Summer Junior Camps and Clinics: ages 8-18. Register Mid January

When: One-week sessions.

29er Summer Camp: ages 14-18, 9:30 am-3:30 pm.

Bring your own 29er: Some club boats available.

420/Laser Summer Camp: ages 14-18, 9:30 am-3:30 pm.

Bring your own boat. Some club boats available.

El Toro/Opti Summer Camp, ages 8-18, 9 am-3 pm. Some club Optis available for use during program hours only.

Winter Sailing: youth and juniors; 8-18. Register August 1st.

420s: October-March. Club boats available.

High School: October-May. Club boats available.

29ers: October-May. Club boats available.

Lasers: October-March. Some club boats available.

Optimists: October-March. Some club boats available.

El Toros: October-March. Some club boats available.

J22: October-March. Some club boats available.

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March 2018

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Weekday & Special Events

- March 3:** • Sail a Small Boat Day, RYC – Potrero Channel
- March 7:** • **Latitude 38 Spring Crew List Party at the GGYC. Check Latitude 38 for more information or see www.latitude38.com.**
- March 14:** • J/22 Spring Series, StFYC -City
- March 17:** • **St. Patrick's Day: Take an Irish friend sailing!**
- March 20:** • Vernal Equinox



Saturday

Winter Frostbite Series #5, BenYC – Carquinez
Jack Frost Midwinter #5, EYC – YRA 10
Mercury Series #1, EYC – Estuary
Midwinter #5, GGYC – City
Single/Doublehanded #1, SeqYC – SB
Midwinter #3, TYC – NB
Tiny Robbins Midwinter Series #6, VYC – NB
Long Distance Race #1, SSC – Stockton

3

California Dreamin' Race Series, StFYC – City →
Big Daddy, RYC – OC →
Redwood Cup #5, SeqYC – SB
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC, Santa Cruz

10

Spring One-Design Regatta, StFYC – City →
BAYS Winter Series, PYC – Estuary →
Small Boat Races #1, EYC – Estuary
Island Fever #5, SBYC – SB
Winter #5 / St. Patrick's Day Race, SeqYC – SB
Rosenblum Regatta, SFYC – Knox
Doublehanded Long Dist. #1, SSC – Stockton
Rites of Spring, OYC – CB/OC
Midwinter #5, SCYC – Santa Cruz

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Spring Dinghy, StFYC – City →
San Francisco Cup, StFYC – City →
Doublehanded Farallones + DHWB + DHSB +
DHG7 + DHBL, BAMA – Ocean
Championship Series, CYC – Knox
Jaws Pursuit Race, SYC – Knox/Blossom

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Trans-Folsom Challenge, FLYC – Folsom Lake
Sadie Hawkins Race, IYC – Estuary
Single/Doublehanded #2, SeqYC – SB
Champion of Champions Regatta,
SCYC – Santa Cruz

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Sunday

Chowder Series #18, BYC – OC
Midwinter #5, SYC – Knox
Sunday Brunch Series #5, OYC – Estuary
Midwinter #4, RYC – SH

4

California Dreamin' Race Series, StFYC – City
Big Daddy, RYC – OC
Chowder Series #19, BYC – OC
Midwinter Island Days #5, IYC – Estuary
Baxter-Judson Series #1, PresYC – CB
Spring Series #1, SSC – Stockton

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Spring One-Design Regatta, StFYC – City
BAYS Winter Series, PYC – Estuary
Chowder Series #20, BYC – OC
Sunday Brunch Series #6, OYC – Estuary
Spring Series #2, SSC – Stockton

18

Spring Dinghy, StFYC – City
San Francisco Cup, StFYC – City
Sunday Brunch Series #7, OYC – Estuary

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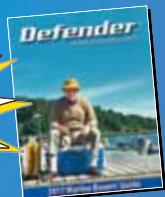
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Youth Sailing

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Sailing Education Adventures (San Rafael)

(415) 775-8779, www.sailsea.org/camps

Mini Camp: ages 8-10. Where: Loch Lomond Marina.

When: One-week sessions, Monday-Friday, 9 am-noon. Boats: Catalina 16.5 keelboats, Capri 14.2s, RS Quests. Cost: \$325. Scholarships available.

Summer Camp Basic/Intermediate: ages 10-16.

www.sailsea.org/basicintermediate-camps Where: Marin YC.

When: Two-week sessions, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm.

Boats: Laser Picos, Lasers, RS Quests and Quba.

Cost: \$725. Scholarships available.

Advanced/Intro Race Camp: ages 12-18. www.sailsea.org/advanced-camp Where: Loch Lomond Marina.

When: One-week sessions, Monday-Friday, noon-4 pm.

Boats: Catalina Capris, RS Quests and Quba.

Cost: \$350. Scholarships available.

SEA Explorers: ages 8-16. www.sailsea.org/explorers

Where: Marin YC. When: One-week session, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm.

Boats: Laser Picos, Catalinas, RS Quests and Quba.

Cost: \$425. Scholarships available.

Basic/Intermediate Camp and SEA Explorers Camp.

SF Maritime National Park Association (San Francisco)

Contact Education Coordinator, Alice Watts, for bookings: (415) 561-6662, sfmaritimecoordinator@gmail.com, www.maritime.org/edu

School Year Programming: The Age of Sail, overnight living history program aboard *Balclutha*, takes place in 1906. The Gold Rush, day living history program aboard *Balclutha*, takes place in 1849.

Summer Programming: June 25 to August 3:

Maritime Summer Camp: Week-long summer camps including rowing and sailing dinghies, marine biology, a beach day, open Bay sailing, and more.

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SFSU Dept. of Recreation, Parks & Tourism (Lake Merced, SF)

Patrick Tierney, www.recdept.sfsu.edu/sailing

Summer Youth Sailing Camps, Paddling Camps, and Sailing & Science Camps: ages 8-15. When: June 11-August 10, Monday-Friday. Paddling Camp 9 am-noon; Sailing Camp 1-4 pm; Sailing & Science Camp 9 am-4pm.

Boats: Optimis, JY 15s, double kayaks, SUPs (boats, boards & PFDs provided).

Cost: Half-day week-long camps \$190-\$210; full-day week-long Science Camp \$385. Scholarships for low-income groups are available (no individual scholarships provided).

San Francisco YC (Belvedere)

Youth Office, (415) 435-9525, youth@sfdc.org, www.sfdc.org/youth

Summer Learn-to-Sail Program: ages 7-16.

When: 2-week half-day, part-day and full-day sessions, mid-June through mid-August, Monday-Friday 9 am-3:30 pm. Boats: Optimis, JYs, CFJs, J/24s (provided).

Race Teams: ages 8-18, all levels. When: All Year.

Boats: Optimis, Lasers, C420s (privately owned).

High School Program: grades 9-12 from Marin Academy, Marin Catholic, Branson or Redwood High School. When: September-May, Wednesday-Thursday, after school.

Pricing listed on website, subject to change.

Scholarships available through the Belvedere Cove Foundation.

Sea Scouts San Francisco (Aquatic Park)

Tamara Sokolov, (415) 517-3943, tamara.sokolov@gmail.com; Dennis Lindemann (415) 585-8825, www.corsair-viking.org

Year-Round Program: ages 13-18. When: Saturdays, 9:30 am-5 pm, Tuesdays, 5-8 pm, two-week, weekend and overnight cruises. Cost: \$60/semi-annually.

Spinnaker YC (San Leandro)

(510) 357-0601, www.spinnakeryachtclub.org; click on Jr. Sailing

Junior Program, ages 10-18, able to swim. When: Monday-Friday, 9 am-1 pm.

See website for details. Boats: DeWitt Dinghies (provided).

St. Francis YC (San Francisco)

Brent Harrill, (415) 820-3729, www.stfyc.com

Learn to Sail Program: ages 7-16.

When: Saturday mornings, September-November and March-May.

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April 2018

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Weekday & Special Events

- April 1:** • Take a fool sailing!
- April 19-22:** • Pacific Sail & Power Boat Show – Craneway Pavilion & Marina Bay Yacht Harbor, Richmond
- April 22:** • Celebrate Earth Day on the liquid part.
- April 27-29:** • Newport to Ensenada Race, NOSA



Saturday

Opti Harken Series #2, SFYC – Richardson Bay →
J/Fest, StFYC – City →
Mercury Series #2, EYC – Estuary
Doublehanded Lightship, IYC – Ocean
Singlehand/Doublehanded #3, SeqYC – SB
TYC Don Wan Regatta, TYC – NB
North Bay Series #1, VYC – NB
El Toro Bullship Race, RYC – City
Classic Boat Invitational Series #1, SYC

Resin Regatta, SFYC – OC →
Wheeler Regatta, BYC – OC/CB →
Camellia Cup, FLYC – Folsom Lake →
Small Boat Race #2, EYC – Estuary
Summer #1, SeqYC – SB
Round the Rocks, SSS – CB
Commodore's Cup, BVBC – SB
Commodore's Regatta, SCYC – Santa Cruz
Interclub #1, IYC – SB

BAYS PCISA Silver PCC's Regatta, EYC – Estuary →
Big Dinghy, RYC – SH →
Opening Day on the Strait, BenYC – Carquinez
OYRA Lightship Race, YRA – Ocean
Anniversary Cup, SFYC – Knox
Intraclub Regatta, StFYC – City
Double Handed Long Distance Race #2, SSC – Stockton
Spring One Design #1, SCYC – Santa Cruz

Elvstrom Zellbach Regatta, StFYC – City →
Great Vallejo Race, YRA/VYC – NB →
Twin Island Race #1, SYC – Knox/Alcatraz

Sunday

EASTER

Opti Harken Series #2, SFYC – Richardson Bay
J/Fest, StFYC – City
Spring Series #3, SSC – Stockton
Estuary Cup, EYC – Estuary

Resin Regatta, SFYC – OC
Wheeler Regatta, BYC – OC/CB
Camellia Cup, FLYC – Folsom Lake
Baxter-Judson Series #2, PresYC – CB

BAYS PCISA Silver PCC's Regatta, EYC – Estuary
Big Dinghy, RYC – SH
Spring Series #4, SSC – Stockton

OPENING DAY ON THE BAY

Elvstrom Zellbach Regatta, StFYC – City
Great Vallejo Race, YRA/VYC – NB
Spring Series #5, SSC – Stockton
SCORE #1, SCYC – Santa Cruz

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Youth Sailing

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St. Francis YC (San Francisco) *continued*

Boats: Optimists, RS Teras, 420s (provided).

Cityfront Summer Sailing Camps: ages 7-16.

When: 1-week sessions, Monday-Friday, 9 am-4 pm. Check website for dates.

Boats: Optis, RS Teras, C420s, windsurfers (provided).

Tinsley Island Summer Overnight Sailing Camps: ages 8-15.

When: 1-week sessions, Monday-Friday. Check website for dates.

Boats: Optis, RS Teras, Bytes, Lasers, windsurfers, kayaks, paddle boards (provided).

Introduction to Racing Program: ages 9-16.

When: Sundays, September-November and March-May.

Boats: Optimists and 420s (provided). Cost: See website.

Stockton Sailing Club

www.stocktonsc.org

Learn to Sail Program: ages 8-21 (24 if FT student). When: One-week classes, June-August. Boats: Optis and FJs (provided). Cost: Contact club.

Summer Sleepover Sail Camp: (with RYC & SCYC), www.sailcamp.org

When: July. Boats: El Toros, Optis (limited number of club boats available to rent).

Cost: Contact club(s). Scholarships available.

Treasure Island Sailing Center

Travis Lund, (415) 421-2225, www.tisailing.org

Youth Programs (Scholarships Available)

Harbor Seals (age 6): Entry-level, exploratory program focusing on water-safety and wind/sea awareness. Spring, Summer (Camp), Fall. Cost: \$350

Explore Sailing (ages 7-12): Entry-level, exploratory program instilling confidence on or near the water, building sailing skills and enhancing respect for a clean ocean. Spring, Fall. Cost: \$350, Summer Camp. Cost: \$350.

Beginner Youth (ages 7-12): Fun introduction to beginner-level sailing fundamentals through the excitement of small sailboats. Spring, Fall. Cost: \$350, Summer Camp. Cost: \$600

Intermediate Youth (ages 7-12): Continuation of small dinghy skills, introducing more subtle boat handling techniques and sailing conditions. Spring, Fall. Cost: \$350, Summer Camp. Cost: \$600.

Advanced Youth (ages 7-12): Introduction to racing and strategy for students with a strong understanding of advanced boat handling. Spring, Fall. Cost: \$350, Summer Camp. Cost: \$600.

Explore Teen (ages 13-18): Exploratory class designed for teens to learn basic dinghy sailing skills and boat safety. Summer Camp. Cost: \$350.

Beginner Teen (ages 13-18): Further exposure to fundamental sailing skills, while heightening personal reliance and judgment on and off the water. Spring, Fall. Cost: \$350, Summer Camp. Cost: \$600.

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Junior Leadership Program Level I (ages 15-18): Leadership pathway for our oldest junior sailors to build instructor experience and continuing personal sailing skills. Summer Camp. Cost: \$300.

Sequoia YC (Redwood City)

Office, (650) 361-9472, www.sequoiayc.org/jr_sailing

Beginner and Intermediate Sailing, ages 8+. Boats: El Toros.

Advanced Sailing, ages 12+. Boats: Lasers.

Where: Redwood Creek. When: Saturdays.

Winter/Spring Session starts February 3.

Fall Session starts September 8.

Cost: \$230, scholarships available.

South Beach YC (San Francisco)

www.southbeachyc.org

Junior Program: ages 8-17, able to swim. 1-week sessions, June-August, M-F, 9 am-4 pm.

Boats: RS Teras, Laser 4.7s, FJs (boats provided). Cost: \$360/week;

after 4/15, cost will increase \$20. Scholarships available for kids in need.

May 2018

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Weekday & Special Events

May 19-28:

- Made in Santa Cruz Race Week, SCYC – Santa Cruz

May 28:

- Memorial Day

May 31:

- Coastal Cup, MPYC/SB – Ocean



Saturday

J Stop Regatta, StFYC – City →
Behrens Regatta, TYC – NB
North Bay Series #2, VYC – NB
Singlehanded Race, SSC – Stockton
Intracub #1, RYC – CB

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Nacra 15 Clinic, StFYC – City →
Mercury Series #3, EYC – Estuary
Interclub #2, IYC – SB
OYRA Duxship, YRA – Ocean
Spring One Design #2, SCYC – Santa Cruz
CBRA Invitational #1, SFYC – OC
Flight of the Bulls, El Toro Class – Foster City

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Elite Keel Regatta, SFYC – OC →
USMRC Area Qualifier, StFYC – City →
Small Boat Racesw #3, EYC – Estuary
Summer #2, SeqYC – SB
Singlehanded Farallones, SSS – Ocean
Summer Series #1, YRA – CB
Long Distance Race #2, SSC – Stockton

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C420 Clinic, StFYC – City →
Memorial Regatta, WSC – Whiskeytown Lake →
Master Mariners Regatta, SYC – City
Spinnaker Cup, SFYC – Ocean

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Sunday

J Stop Regatta, StFYC – City
Championship Series, CYC – Knox
Spring Series #6, SSC – Stockton

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Nacra 15 Clinic, StFYC – City
Baxter-Judson Series #3, PresYC – CB
SCORE #2, SCYC – Santa Cruz

MOTHER'S DAY

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Elite Keel Regatta, SFYC – OC
USMRC Area Qualifier, StFYC – City
Spring Series #7, SSC – Stockton

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C420 Clinic, StFYC – City
Memorial Regatta, WSC – Whiskeytown Lake

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June 2, 2018



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Saturday

X-Bay Regatta, SBYC/CYC – Knox/CB
Mercury Series #4, EYC – Estuary
Moonlight Marathon #1, SeqYC – SB
North Bay Series #3 – Luna Race, VYC – NB
Delta Ditch Run, RYC to SSC
CBRA Series #2, GGYC – City
Champagne Cup, StFYC – City

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InterClub #3, EYC – SB/Estuary
YRA OYRA Farallones Race, SFYC – Ocean
Great Schooner Regatta, SFYC – Knox/CB
Laser Masters Series, SSC – Stockton
International 14 National, RYC – SH
Classic Boat Invitational, SYC – Knox

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Sunday

Tri-Island Race #1, BYC – Berkeley Circle/Alcatraz

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Baxter-Judson Series #4, PresYC – CB

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Weekday & Special Events

June 15-17: • Opti Heavy Weather, StFYC – City
• El Toro Senior North Americans, Clear Lake

June 16: • Lipton Cup Series, RYC

June 21: • *Summer Solstice – Northern Hemisphere*

June 22-24: • Long Beach Race Week, LBYC – Long Beach
• Trans-Tahoe Regatta, TahoeYC – Lake Tahoe

June 23-24: • Summer Sailstice

June 22-24: • Woodies Invitational, StFYC – City

June 24: • Master Mariners Wooden Boat Show, CYC

June 29: • El Toro Jr North American – SSC

Twentysomething Regatta, CYC – OC →
June Invitational, SFYC – OC →
South Tower Race, SSC – Stockton →
YRA Summer Series #2, – RYC – SH
Spring One Design #3, SCYC – Santa Cruz

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Benicia Go Sailing Day, BenYC – Carquinez
CHISPA Regatta, EYC – Estuary
Sailstice, EYC – Estuary
Sailstice Small Boat Race #4, EYC – Estuary
OYRA Half Moon Bay, YRA/HMBYC – Ocean
SSS Singlehanded TransPac, CYC – Ocean
Rear Commodore Race, SYC – Knox to SP Bay
H.O. Lind 1-3, TYC – NB
Race of Champions, SSC – Stockton
Intraclub #2, RYC – SH

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Silver Eagle, IYC – CB
Westpoint Regatta, YRA/SeqYC – SB

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Twentysomething Regatta, CYC – OC
June Invitational, SFYC – OC
South Tower Race, SSC – Stockton

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SCORE #3, SCYC – Santa Cruz

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Weekday & Special Events

July 4:

- Independence Day
- Fourth of July Regatta (Jr), EYC – Estuary
- Independence Cup, SFYC – Knox
- Brothers & Sisters Race, TYC – NB
- Ciccerello Perpetual #1, VYC – NB

July 20-22:

- Laser Masters NAs, StFYC – City



Saturday

Hart Nunes Regatta, SFYC – Raccoon Strait →
Championship Series, CYC – Knox
Battle of the Capes, BenYC – Carquinez
North Bay Series #4 Brothers Race, VYC – NB
Jack and Jill Race, SSC – Stockton

BAYS Svendsen's Summer Splash, EYC – Estuary →
Kiteboarding Classic/UN Challenge, StFYC – City →
Interclub #3, SBYC – SB
Twin Island Race #2, SYC – Knox/Alcatraz
Fox Hat Race, TYC – CB/NB
YRA Summer Series #3, YRA – CB
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC – Santa Cruz

SC Multihull Regatta, SCYC – Santa Cruz →
J105 Fleet 1 Invitational Regatta,
SYC – West Alcatraz/Knox →
Small Boat Race #5, EYC – Estuary
OYRA Jr Waterhouse, YRA – Ocean
Midnight Moonlight Maritime Marathon,
SFYC – Raccoon to Carquinez & Return
Plastic Classic, BVBC – South Bay SF Side

YRA Encinal Regatta, EYC/YRA – CB/Bonita →
Mitchell Ross Regatta, SFYC – Knox

Sunday

Fannette Island Race, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe

Hart Nunes Regatta, SFYC – Raccoon Strait

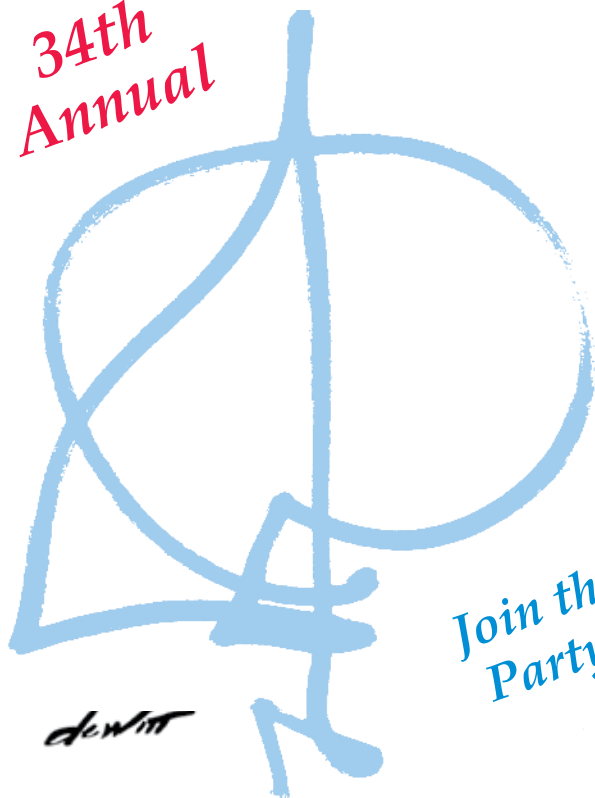
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Kiteboarding SF Classic/UN Challenge, StFYC – City
Tri-Island Race #2, BYC – OC/TI
Howard Stevens Race, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe
Baxter-Judson Series #5, PresYC – CB

SC Multihull Regatta, SCYC – Santa Cruz
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West Alcatraz/Knox
Doublehanded Race, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe

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Weekday & Special Events

- August 2-5:** • Hydrofoil Pro Tour, StFYC
August 8-12: • 505 NAs, StFYC – City
August 12-26: • International 14 Worlds, RYC – SH
August 17: • Aldo Alessio Perpetual, StFYC – City
August 17-19: • J/70 & Melges 24 Cal Cup – City
August 23-26: • US Women's Match Race Championship, StFYC – City
Aug. 31: • Windjammers, StFYC/SCYC – SF to Santa Cruz



Saturday

Summer Keel/Easom Founders Regatta, SFYC – OC →
 El Toro Pinecrest Worlds, Pinecrest Lake →
OYRA Wild Card, YRA – Ocean
 Kiteboarding SF Bay Challenge, StFYC – City
 Moseley Regatta, TYC – NB
 NB Series #5 Angel Island, VYC – NB
 Single/Doublehanded #4, SeqYC

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BAYS #4, SFYC – Richardson Bay →
 Benicia/Vallejo Regatta, BenYC – Carquinez
 Summer #3, SeqYC – SB
Summer Series #4, YRA – CB
 Interclub #4, BAMA – SB

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OYRA Drakes Bay, YRA/CYC – Ocean →
 Swiftsure Regatta, StFYC – City →
 Small Boat Races #6, EYC – Estuary
 Wosser Cup, SFYC – Knox
 Classic Boat Invitational #2, SYC – Alcatraz/Knox
 "Round the Rock, BVBC – SB
 Fall One Design #1, SCYC – Santa Cruz
 Single/Doublehanded #4, SeqYC – SB

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CBRA Series #4, BYC – OC
 Women Skippers Regatta, SYC – Knox
 H.O. Lind Regatta, TYC – NB
 Moonlight Marathon #2, SeqYC – SB

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Sunday

Summer Keel/Easom Founders Regatta, SFYC – OC
 El Toro Pinecrest Worlds, Pinecrest Lake
 Commodores Cup Race, LTWYC
 – South Lake Tahoe
CBRA Series #3, CYC – Knox

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BAYS #4, SFYC – Richardson Bay
 Mid Summer Madness, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe
 PreBaxter-Judson Series #6, PresYC – CB

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OYRA Drakes Bay, YRA/CYC – Ocean
 Swiftsure Regatta, StFYC – City
 Tri-Island Race #3, BYC – OC/Angel Island
 Gracie & George Regatta, EYC – SB/Estuary
 Skip the Skipper Race, LTWYC –
 South Lake Tahoe
 Big Brothers Big Sisters Regatta, SCYC – Santa Cruz

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Fall SCORE #1, SCYC – Santa Cruz

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South Beach Yacht Club 2018 Racing Season



Jazz Cup: 9/1

Red Bra Regatta: 10/20

Friday Night Series:

April 20 thru August 24

MidWinters Races:

1/20, 2/17, 3/17, 11/16, 12/15

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September 2018

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- Sept. 3:** • Labor Day – Take a worker sailing
- Sept. 5:** • **Latitude 38 Fall Crew List Party at the Spaulding Marine Center**
- Sept. 13-16:** • Rolex Big Boat Series, StFYC – City
- Sept. 15-16:** • Bart's Bash SF Bay, GGYC – City
- Sept. 22-23:** • Women's Sailing Seminar and Regatta IYC – Estuary
- Sept. 23:** • Autumnal Equinox
- Sept. 28-30:** • Pac52 Cup, StFYC – City

Jazz Cup, SBYC – CB to Benicia
Summer #4, SeqYC – SB
Olympic Development Clinic, StFYC – City **1**

Olympic Development Clinic, StFYC – City **2**

Millimeter Nationals #1, EYC – Estuary →
Perpetual Race, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe →
Laser Fleet Championship, TahoeYC – Lake Tahoe →
Melges 24 Nationals, SFYC →
Championship Series, CYC – Knox
Singlehand/Doublehanded #5/Commodore's Cup,
SeqYC – SB
Classic Boat Invitational #3, SYC – Alcatraz/Knox
Tornberg Regatta, TYC – NB
North Bay Series #6, VYC – NB
Fall Race #1, SSC – Stockton
Intracub #3, RYC – SH
Interclub #6, OYC – SB **8**

Millimeter Nationals #2, EYC – Estuary
Perpetual Race, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe
Laser Fleet Championship, TahoeYC – Lake Tahoe
Melges 24 Nationals, SFYC
Commodore's Cup, EYC – TBD
Governor's Cup Series #1, FLYC – Folsom Lake
Melges 24 Nationals, SFYC –
Women's Skipper Race, PresYC – CB

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Fall Equinox Invitational Small Boat Race #7, EYC – Estuary
SSS Half Moon Bay – Ocean
Fall One Design #2, SCYC – Santa Cruz
Summer #5 / SB Championship /
Corkscrew Slough, SeqYC – SB **15**

Governor's Cup Series #2, FLYC – Folsom Lake
Late Summer Race, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe **16**

Totally Dinghy, RYC – SH →
OYRA Wild Card, YRA – Ocean
Interclub Challenge Barth Race, SeqYC – SB
Auxiliary Cup, SFYC – Knox
Joe Logan, StFYC – City
Shorthanded Races, TYC – NB
Jack and Jill Regatta, SCYC **22**

Totally Dinghy, RYC – SH
Governor's Cup Series #3, FLYC – Folsom Lake
Fannette Island Race, LTWYC – South Lake Tahoe
Calvin Paige, StFYC – City **23**

YRA Corinthian Race, YRA/CYC – CB →
Express 37 Nationals, BYC – OC →
Champions Race, BenYC – Carquinez
CBRA Series #5, StFYC – City **29**

YRA Corinthian Race, YRA/CYC – CB
Express 37 Nationals, BYC – OC
Governor's Cup Series #4, FLYC – Folsom Lake **30**



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Weekday & Special Events

- October 1-8:** • Fleet Week
- October 8:** • Columbus Day
- October 9-13:** • Nation's Cup Match Race, StFYC – City
- October 29:** • Baja Ha-Ha starts, SD to Cabo
- October 31:** • Halloween: Go sailing in costume!



Saturday

Express 27 Nationals, SFYC →
Sport Fest Invitational & Multihull Regatta,
RYC – OC →
Tiny Robbins Midwinter Series #1, VYC – NB
Fall Race #2, SSC – Stockton

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Fall Classic, SFYC – Knox →
SF Cup / Catalina 34 Fleet, SBYC – SB →
Twin Island Race #3, SYC – Knox
Joan Storer Regatta, TYC – NB
Oktoberfest, OYC – Treasure Island/Estuary
Intracub #4, RYC – SH
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC – Santa Cruz
Corkscrew Slough Regatta, SeqYC – SB

13

Leukemia Cup, SFYC – Knox →
Championship Series, CYC – Knox
Vallejo 1, SSS – CB
Red Bra Regatta, SBYC – SB
Jessica Cup, StFYC – City
Perkins Challenge, StFYC – City
Fall One Design #3, SCYC – Santa Cruz

20

Fall Dinghy, StFYC – City →
Great Pumpkin, RYC – OC →
Round the Island Regatta, SFYC –
BelvedereCove/TI/SH
Red Rock Regatta, TYC – NB

27

Sunday

Express 27 Nationals, SFYC
Sport Fest Invitational & Multihull Regatta,
RYC – OC
Chowder Series #1, BYC – OC

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Fall Classic, SFYC – Knox
SF Cup / Catalina 34 Fleet, SBYC – SB
Chowder Series #2, BYC – OC
El Toro Stampede, RYC – Potrero Ch.

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Leukemia Cup, SFYC – City or Alcatraz
Chowder Series #3, BYC – OC
Vallejo 2, SSS – CB

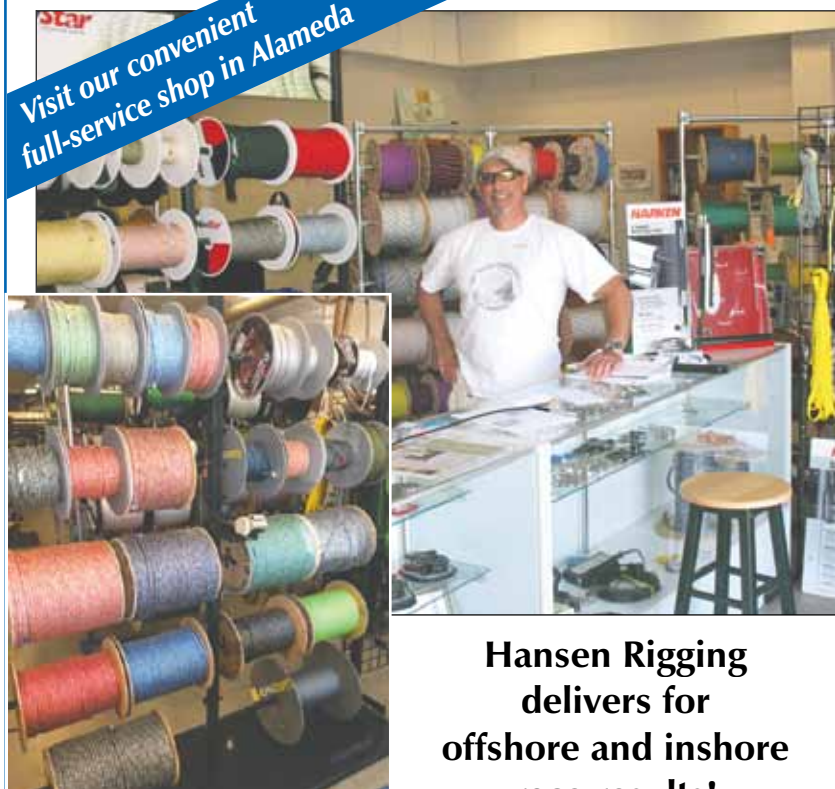
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Fall Dinghy, StFYC – City
Great Pumpkin, RYC – OC
Chowder Series #4, BYC – OC

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Weekday & Special Events

- November 3:** • Turkey Shoot, LWSC – Lake Washington
- November 11:** • *Veterans Day. Take a veteran sailing!*
- November 13:** • The Big Sail - Cal vs. Stanford, StFYC – City
- November 22:** • Thanksgiving Day
- November 23:** • Wild Turkey Race, TYC – NB

Saturday

Cal 20 Round Robin, CYC – Raccoon Strait →
BAYS HS NorCal Regatta, EYC – Estuary →
Tiny Robbins Midwinter Series #2, VYC – NB
Frostbite Series #1, BenYC – Carquinez
Jack Frost Midwinter #1, EYC – YRA 10
Midwinter #1, GGYC – City
Winter #1, SeqYC – SB
Fall Race #3, SSC – Stockton

3

Sunday

Cal 20 Round Robin, CYC – Raccoon Strait
BAYS HS NorCal Regatta, EYC – Estuary
Chowder Series #5, BYC – OC
Jill & Jack + 1, IYC – Estuary
J/22 Fall Series #1, StFYC – City
Midwinter #1, SYC – Knox
Amazing Grace Cheney Cup, RYC – SH
Laser Short Course, RYC – SH

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

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Midwinter #1, BYC – OC →
RegattaPRO Winter One-Design #1, SYC – OC/SH
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC, Santa Cruz

10

Midwinter #2, BYC – OC
Midwinter Island Days #1, IYC – Estuary
J/22 Fall Series #2, StFYC – City

11

Fall Farallones, BAMA – Ocean
Redwood Cup #1, SeqYC – SB
Midwinter #1, SCYC – Santa Cruz

17

Chowder Series #6, BYC – OC
Commodore's Challenge, IYC – Estuary
J/22 Fall Series #3, StFYC – City

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24

Chowder Series #7, BYC – OC
J/22 Fall Series #4, StFYC – City

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- SYC Chili Midwinter Series, the first Sunday of the month; January 7, February 4, March 4, November 4, December 2.
- SYC / RegattaPRO Invitational, the second Saturday of the month, January 13, February 10, November 10, December. Keep your crew's skills sharp through the winter. Divisions for J120, J111, J105, J88, J70, J24, Express 27, Melges 24, Moore 24.
- Jaws Regatta, March 24. A pursuit race that starts and finishes off the club deck with a 'Bay Tour' course. Includes a predicted log division for powerboats.
- Classic Boat Invitational Series, three regattas in Spring, Summer and Fall with 3 races each day. Bears, Birds, Folkboats, Knarrs and more!
- Twin Island Series, April 28, July 14, October 13. Choose your own route around Alcatraz and Angel Island.
- Spring Sunset Series, May 8, May 22, June 5, June 19. Racing and BBQ on a Tuesday evening to shake off those Monday blues!
- Rear Commodore's Race, June 23. Downwind to Vallejo Yacht Club followed by dinner and a party to round off the day.
- J105 Fleet 1 Regatta, July 21 – 22.
- Summer Sunset Series, July 24, August 7, August 21. Enjoy long summer evenings with racing and a BBQ after.
- Women Skippers Regatta, August 25. This day-long event starts with a skippers' breakfast and briefing, PHRF fleet racing and post-race party with additional trophies for all-women crews.



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Weekday & Special Events

- December:**
- Happy Holidays! Check the Calendar in the Nov. or Dec. issue of *Latitude 38* for lighted boat parades near you.
- December 2:**
- Hanukkah begins at sundown
- December 21:**
- Winter Solstice
- December 25:**
- Christmas Day
- December 31:**
- New Year's Eve



Saturday

Frostbite Series #2, BenYC – Carquinez
Jack Frost Midwinter #2, EYC – YRA 10
Midwinter #2, GGYC – City
Winter #2, SeqYC – SB
Fall Race #4, SSC – Stockton

1

Midwinter #3, BYC – OC
Redwood Cup #2, SeqYC – SB
RegattaPRO Winter One-Design #2, SYC – OC/
SH Shoal
Santana 22 Team Racing, SCYC – Santa Cruz

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Island Fever #2, SBYC – SB
Midwinter #2, SCYC – Santa Cruz

15

22

29

Sunday

Chowder Series #8, BYC – OC
Midwinter #2, SYC – Knox
Midwinter #1, RYC – SH

2

Midwinter #4, BYC – OC
Midwinter Island Days #2, IYC – Estuary

9

Chowder Series #9, BYC – OC

16

Chowder Series #10, BYC – OC

23

Chowder Series #11, BYC – OC

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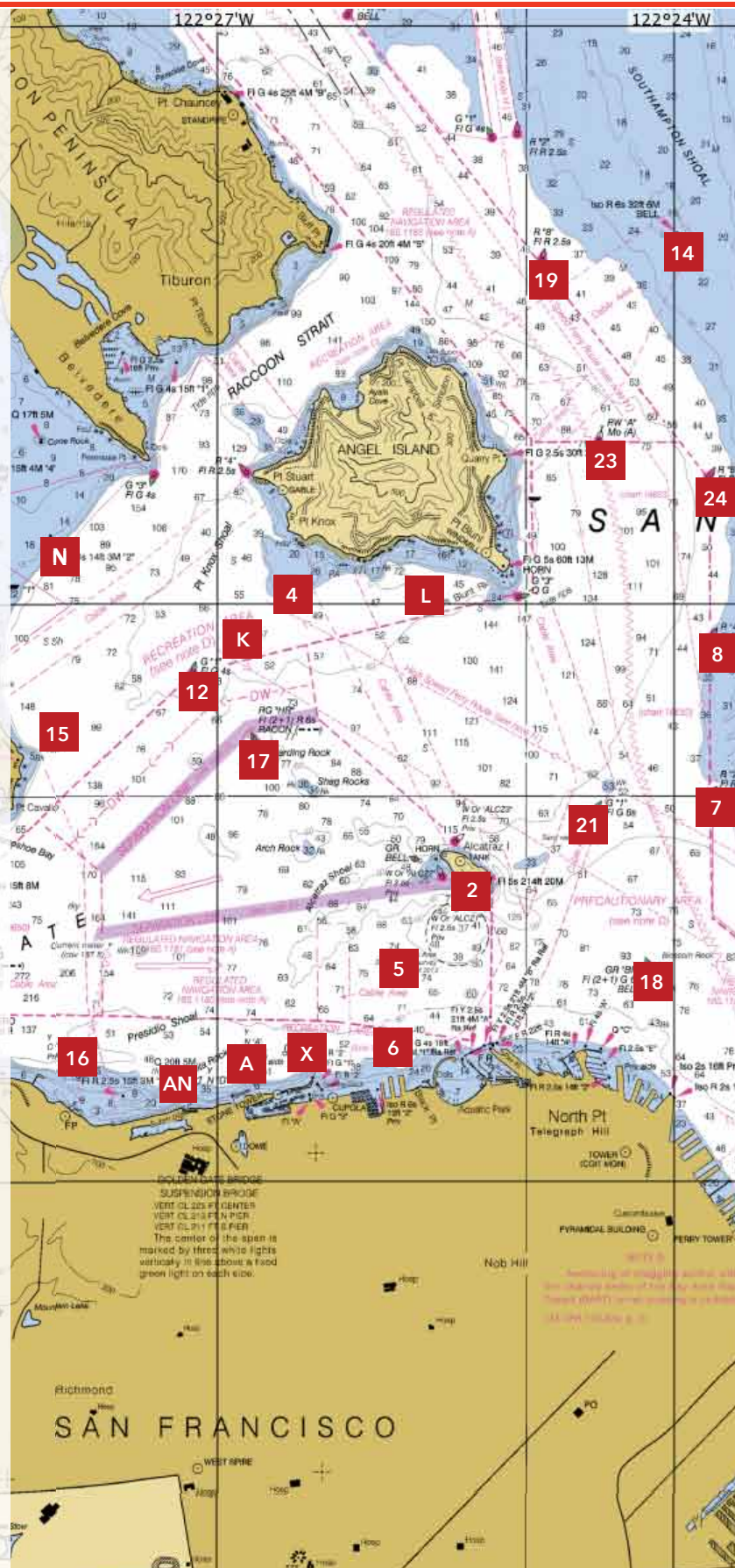
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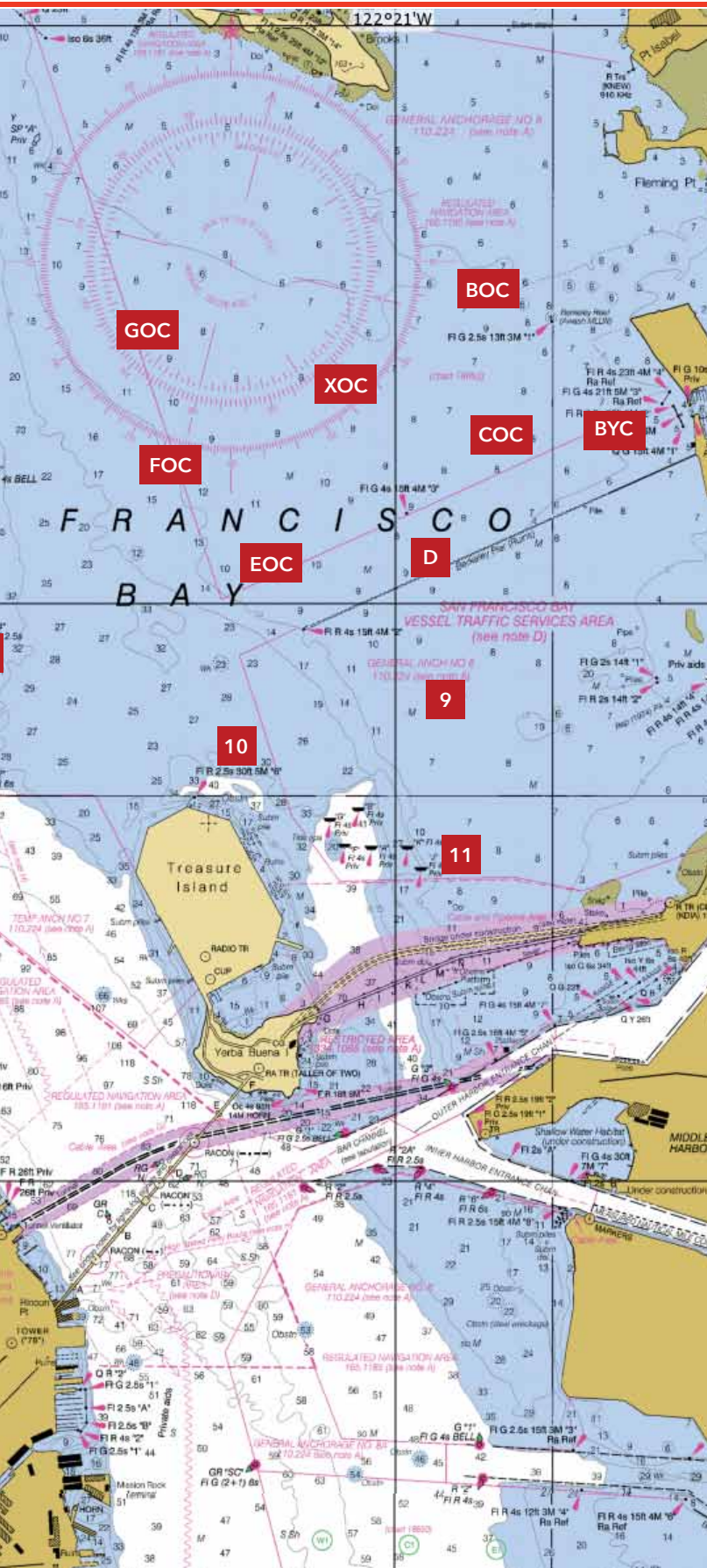
YRA Central Bay Marks

Description of Marks

- A:** Yellow sphere "A" Outer buoy
St. Francis Yacht Club
- D:** G "3" Fl G 4s 15 ft on Olympic Circle
- K:** Temporary YC buoy
.3 nm west of YRA 4 in line with YRA 12
- L:** Temporary YC buoy
.31 nm west of windmill inline with YRA 4
- N:** Daymark "2" Fl R
in channel east of Sausalito
- X:** Yellow sphere "X" - Golden Gate Yacht Club
- 2:** Alcatraz Island
- 4:** Lighted Yellow Column WSW of Pt. Knox
- 5:** Temporary YC buoy
approx .6 nm SW of Alcatraz
- 6:** Temporary YC buoy
200 yds. N of Ft. Mason docks
- 7:** R "2" Fl 6s - 1 nm NW of Treasure Island
- 8:** R "4" Fl 4s Horn - 1 nm east of Pt. Blunt
- 9:** Temporary YC buoy
.5 nm ESE of west end of Berkeley Pier ruins
1 nm ENE of YRA 10
- 10:** Temporary YC buoy
approx .6 nm ESE of west end of Berkeley Pier ruins
- 11:** Temporary YC buoy
1.5 nm east of Treasure Island
- 12:** G "1" Fl G 4s Little Harding Rock
- 14:** Southampton Shoal Platform



YRA Central Bay Marks



15: Temporary YC buoy
approx .5 nm east of Yellow Bluff

16: Yellow Column "C" - Blackaller
2 nm east of Fort Point
YRA Mark 16 has been designated the Thomas D. Blackaller Jr. Memorial Buoy by the YRA Board of Directors. The buoy maintenance is funded by the Thomas D. Blackaller Jr. Fund.

17: RG "HR" Fl (2+1) R 6s - Harding Rock

18: RG "BR" Fl (2+1) G 6s - Blossom Rock

19: R "8" Fl R 2.5s
approx. -1.5 nm N of Pt. Blunt

21: G "1" Fl G 6s - .65 nm NE of Alcatraz

23: RW "A" Mo (A) - E of Angel Island

24: R "6" Fl R 4s bell
1.1 nm E of Quarry Point

AN: Anita Rock buoy - off Crissy Field

BYC: Yellow column "BYC" - E of COC

TYC: Privately maintained white mark
"TYC" off south entrance to Paradise Cay

Berkeley Circle Buoys:
BOC, COC, EOC,
FOC, GOC, XOC
XOC has been designated the Bob Klein Memorial Buoy by the YRA Board of Directors. The buoy is maintained by the Richmond Yacht Club Foundation.

Definitions for YRA Racing Areas

The following racing areas have been defined by the YRA for the purposes of describing the general geographical location and the marks that may be used in a YRA race. Please refer to the individual Sailing Instructions for each YRA race for the exact courses. Temporary marks may be used instead of, or in conjunction with, the described marks in any of these YRA Racing Areas. Sailing Instructions will be available on the YRA website at www.yra.org approximately one week prior to the start of a YRA race.

Berkeley Circle (OC) Racing Area

See pages 42-43.

Includes Marks BOC, COC, DOC, EOC, FOC, GOC, XOC, 8, 12, 15, 17.

Cityfront Racing Area

See pages 42-43.

Includes Marks A, X, 6, 16, 17, 18, 21.

Knox Racing Area

See pages 42-43.

Includes Marks K, L, N, 4, 12, 15, 21, 23.

North Bay (NB) Racing Area

See page 46.

Includes Marks CM2, NG7, NR12, NR14, TYC, 14.

South Bay (SB) Alameda Side Racing Area

See page 47.

Races held in this sailing area will use temporary marks in the vicinity of NAS2.

South Bay (SB) SF Side Racing Area

See page 47.

Includes Marks AS1, NAS2, W1, XS1, 31, 34, 37.

Southampton Shoal (SH) Racing Area

See pages 42-43.

Includes Marks N, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21.

Treasure Island (TI) Racing Area

See pages 42-43.

Includes Marks EOC, 2, 7, 9, 10, 17, 18, 21.



Master Mariners 25th Wooden Boat Show - Sunday, June 24 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Corinthian Yacht Club

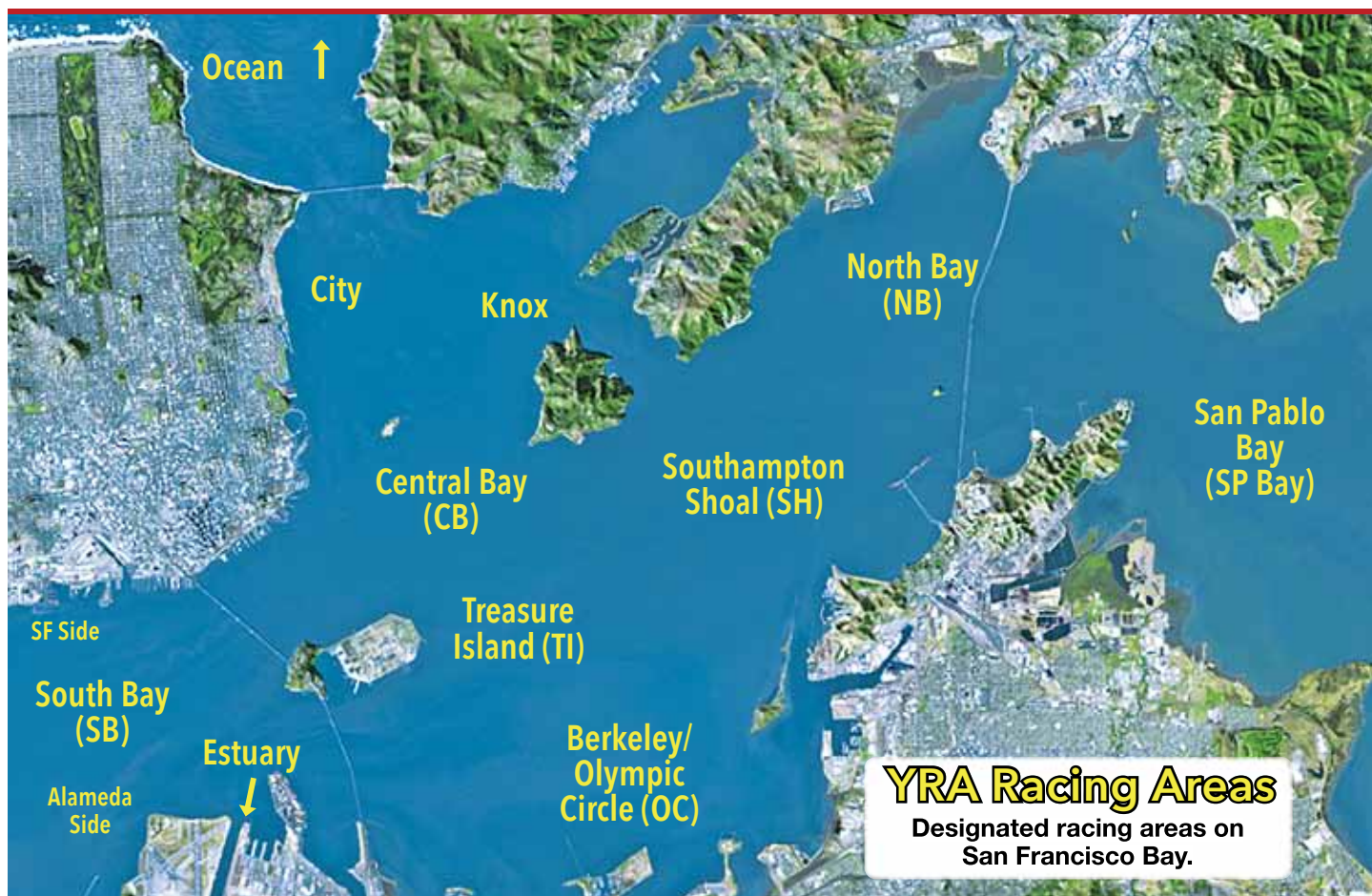


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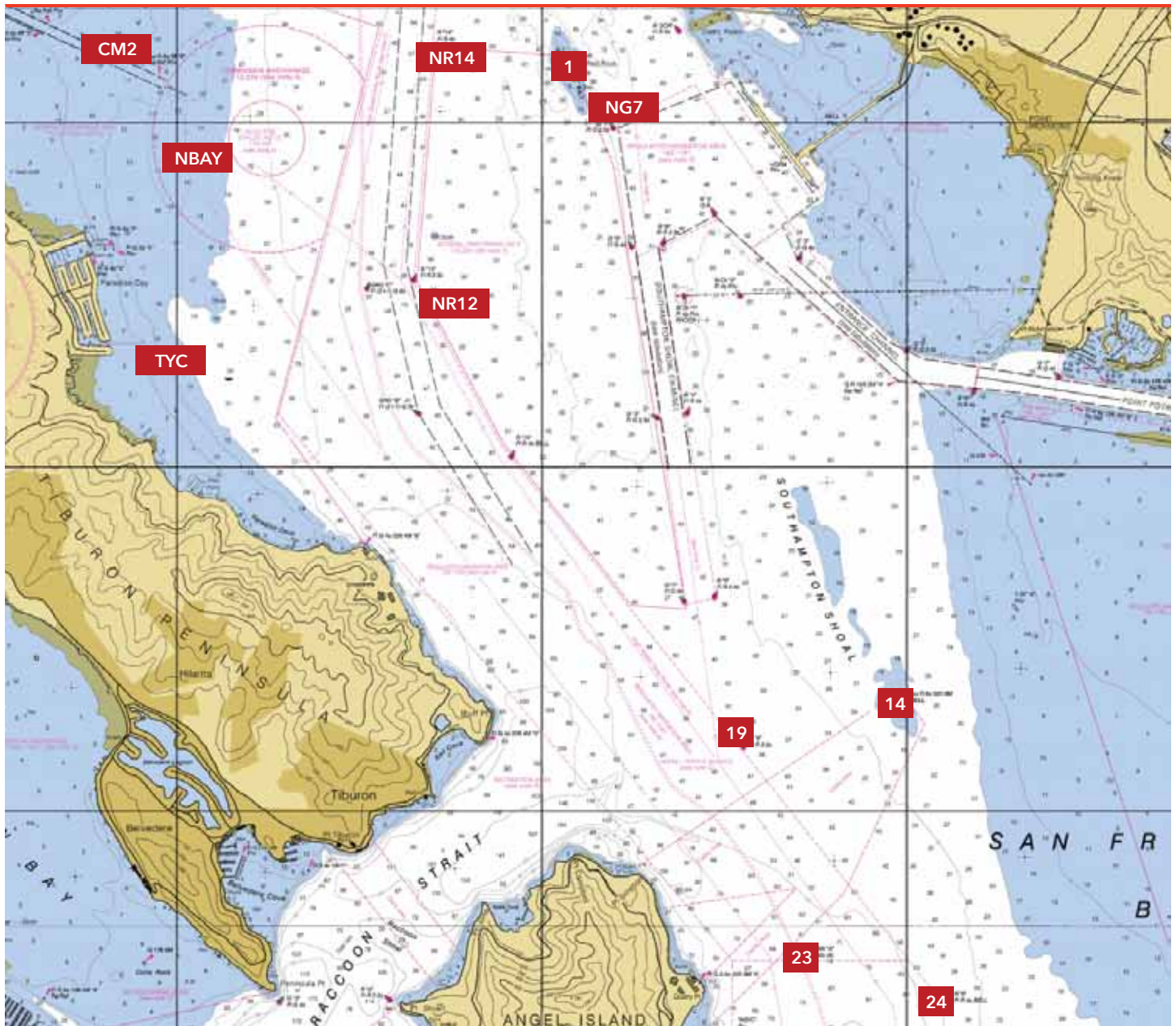
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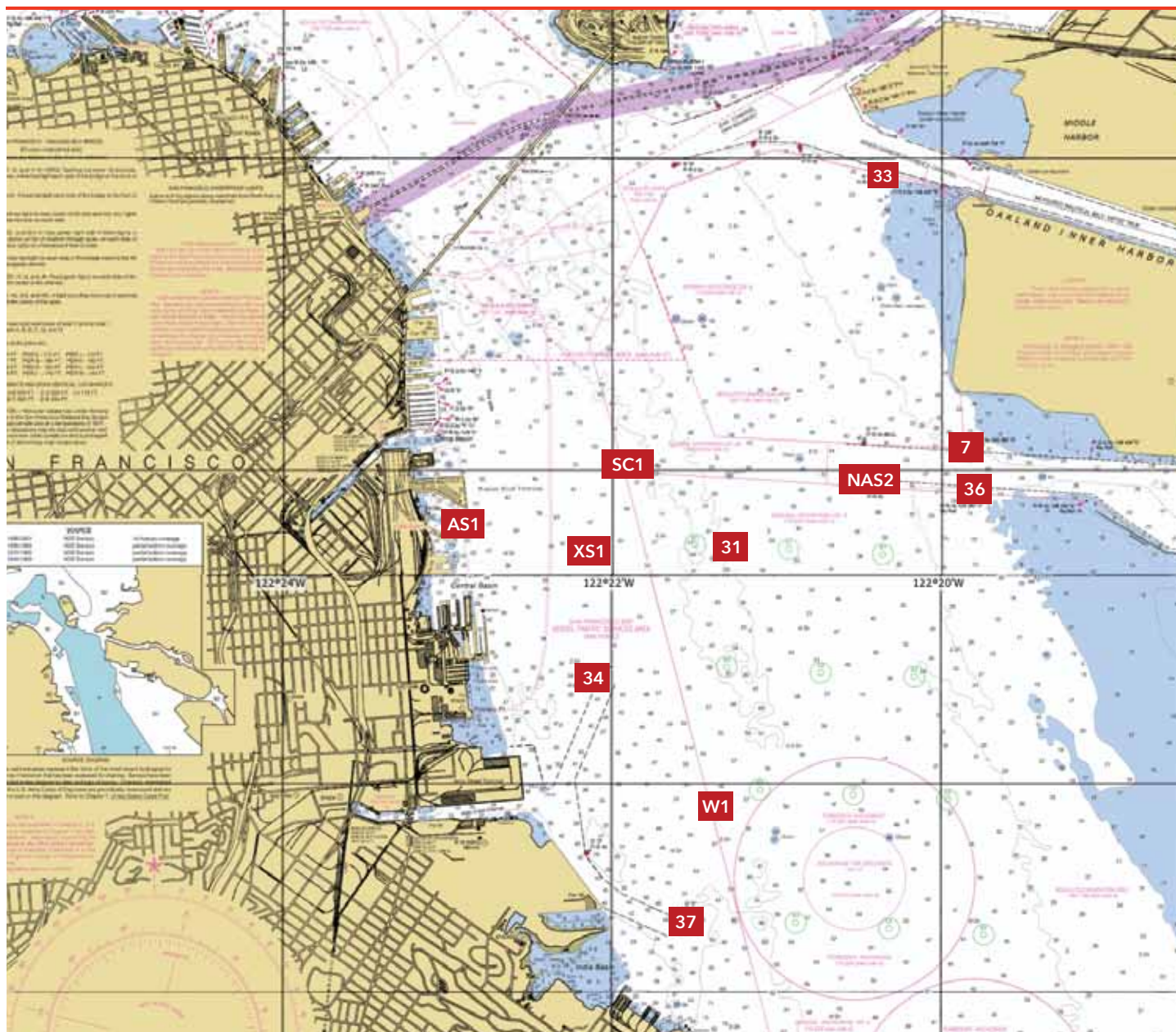
YRA North Bay Marks



Description of Marks

1: Red Rock	CM2: R "2" Fl R 6s outer end of Corte Madera Channel	NR14: R "14" Fl R 4s approx .28 nm S of Richmond- San Rafael Bridge main channel
14: Southampton Shoal Platform	NBAY Temp YC buoy approx .6 nm NE of Tiburon YC clubhouse	TYC: Privately maintained white mark "TYC" off south entrance to Paradise Cay
19: R "8" Fl R 2.5s approx 1.5 nm N of Pt. Blunt	NG7 G "7" Fl G 2.5s approx .45 nm SE of Red Rock	
23: RW "A" Mo (A) east of Angel Island	NR12 R "12" Fl R 4s approx 1.3 nm S of Richmond - San Rafael Bridge main channel	
24: R "6" Fl R 4s Bell 1.1 nm east of Quarry Pt.		

YRA South Bay Marks



Description of Marks

AS1: Yellow sphere approx .25 nm E of Bay View Boat Club	31: Temporary YC buoy approx 1.2 nm SE of Mission Rock Terminal	36: Red daymark "4" Fl R 4s Alameda NAS Entrance Channel
NAS2: NAS Alameda Channel Mark "R2" Fl R 4s	33: Red buoy "4" Fl R 4s Oakland Inner Harbor Entrance Channel	37: Green buoy "5" Fl G 4s - approx 1nm east of Army Street Terminal
SC1: Red & green buoy "SC" Fl G (2 + 1) approx 1nm ENE of Mission Rock	34: Red buoy "2" Fl R 2s approx .5 nm east of Potrero Point	
W1: Temporary YC buoy approx 1 nm E of Army St. Terminal	35: Green daymark "3" Fl G 2.5s Alameda NAS Entrance Channel	
XS1: Temporary YC buoy approx halfway between 31 and AS1		

San Francisco Bay

These current charts show direction and speed of the tidal current for each hour of current at the San Francisco Bay entrance. The charts depict the flow of tidal currents under normal weather conditions. Strong winds and freshets, however, bring about non-tidal currents which may modify considerably the speeds and directions shown in the charts.

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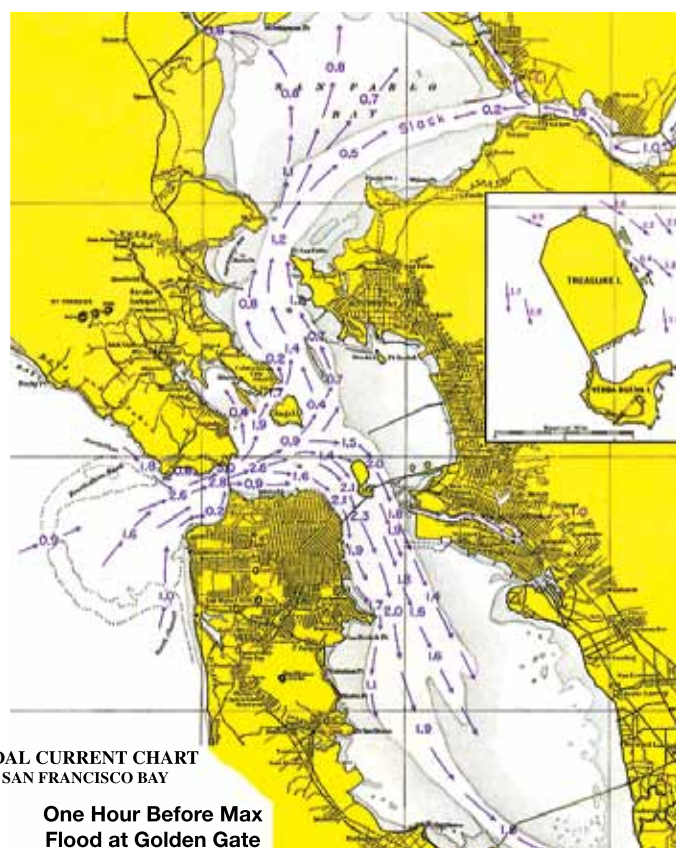
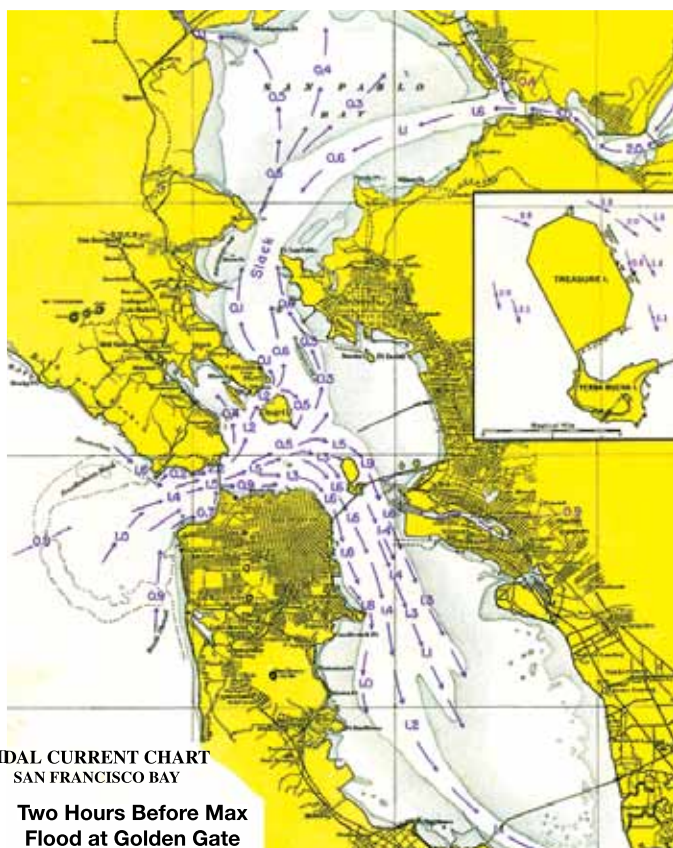
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The numbers before or after the arrows indicate the 'tropic speed' of the current in knots. To determine the actual speed of the current for a particular day and hour, this tropic speed is multiplied by the factor given in the table to the right, 'Factors for Correcting Speeds'. To find the correct 'predicted speed' as listed in the table, see 'Weekend Currents' on pages 54 and 55.

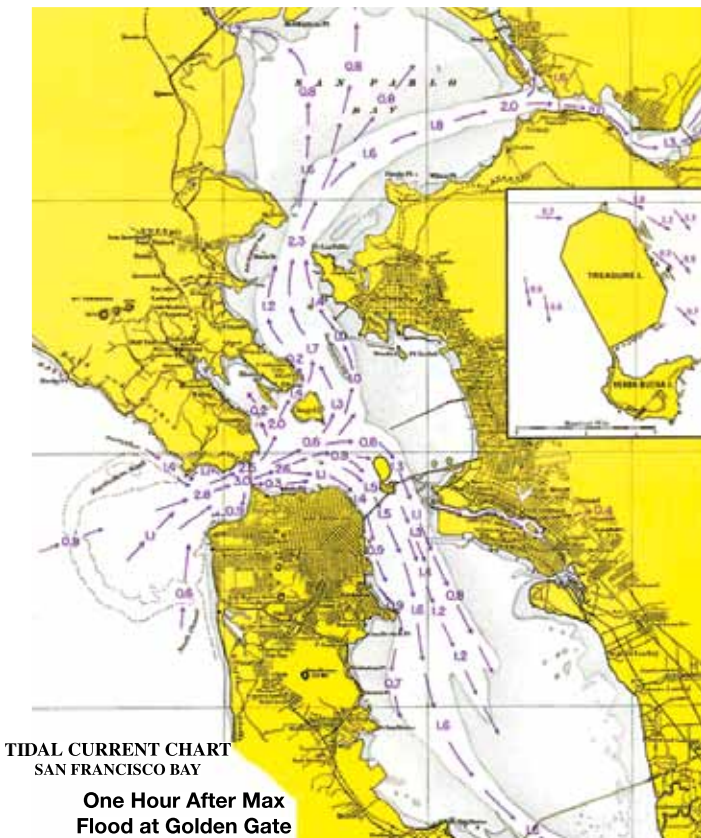
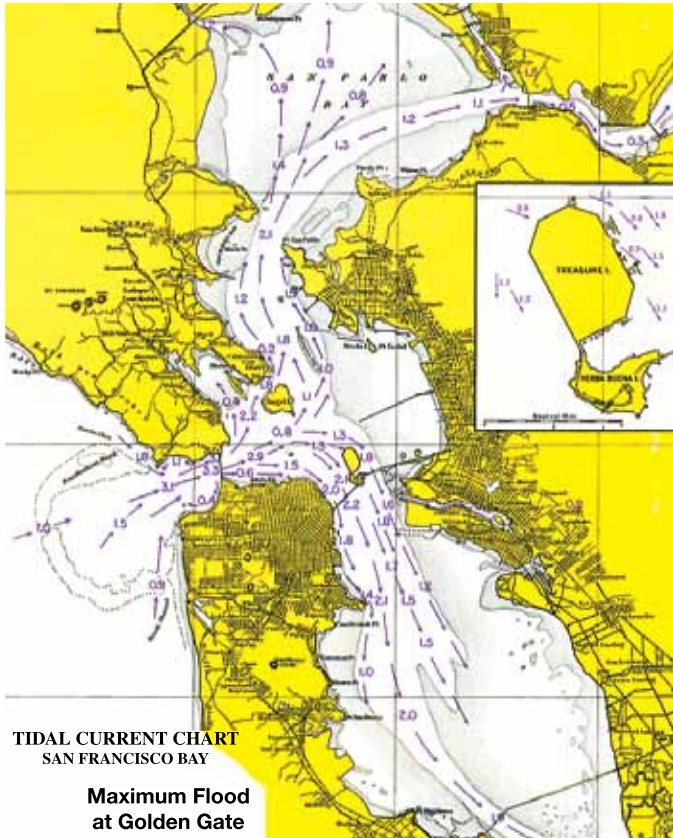
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FACTORS FOR CORRECTING SPEEDS

MAXIMUM FLOOD			MAXIMUM EBB		
Predicted speed (knots)		Factor	Predicted Speed (knots)		Factor
0.5-0.8,	multiply by	0.2	0.7-1.1,	multiply by	0.2
0.9-1.1,	multiply by	0.3	1.2-1.5,	multiply by	0.3
1.2-1.4,	multiply by	0.4	1.6-2.0,	multiply by	0.4
1.5-1.8,	multiply by	0.5	2.1-2.4,	multiply by	0.5
1.9-2.1,	multiply by	0.6	2.5-2.9,	multiply by	0.6
2.2-2.4,	multiply by	0.7	3.0-3.3,	multiply by	0.7
2.5-2.8,	multiply by	0.8	3.4-3.8,	multiply by	0.8
2.9-3.1,	multiply by	0.9	3.9-4.2,	multiply by	0.9
3.2-3.4,	multiply by	1.0	4.3-4.7,	multiply by	1.0
3.5-3.7,	multiply by	1.1	4.8-5.1,	multiply by	1.1
3.8-4.1,	multiply by	1.2	5.2-5.6,	multiply by	1.2
4.2-4.4,	multiply by	1.3	5.7-6.0,	multiply by	1.3
4.5-4.7,	multiply by	1.4	6.1-6.5,	multiply by	1.4
4.8-5.1,	multiply by	1.5	6.6-6.9,	multiply by	1.5



Tidal Current Charts



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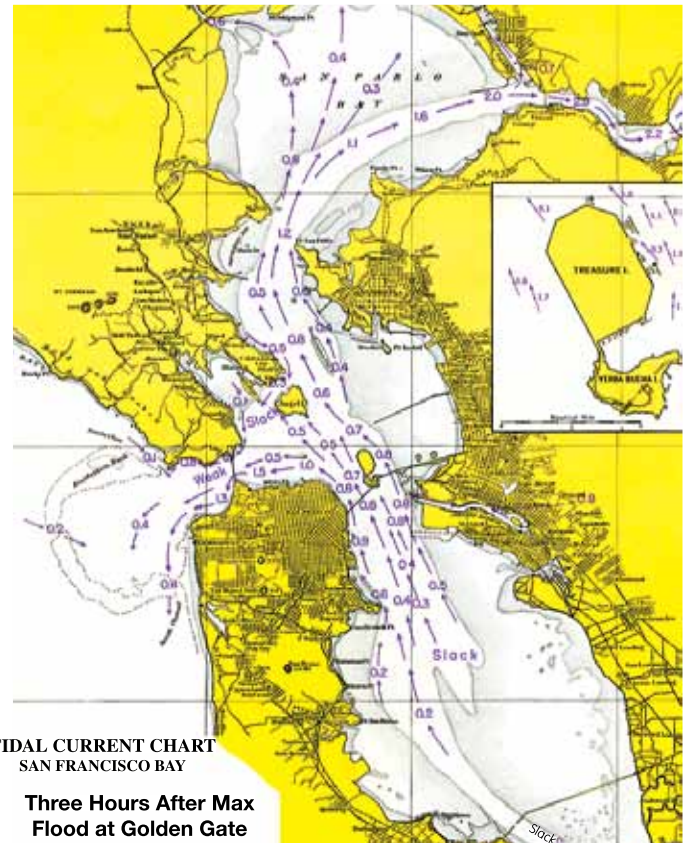
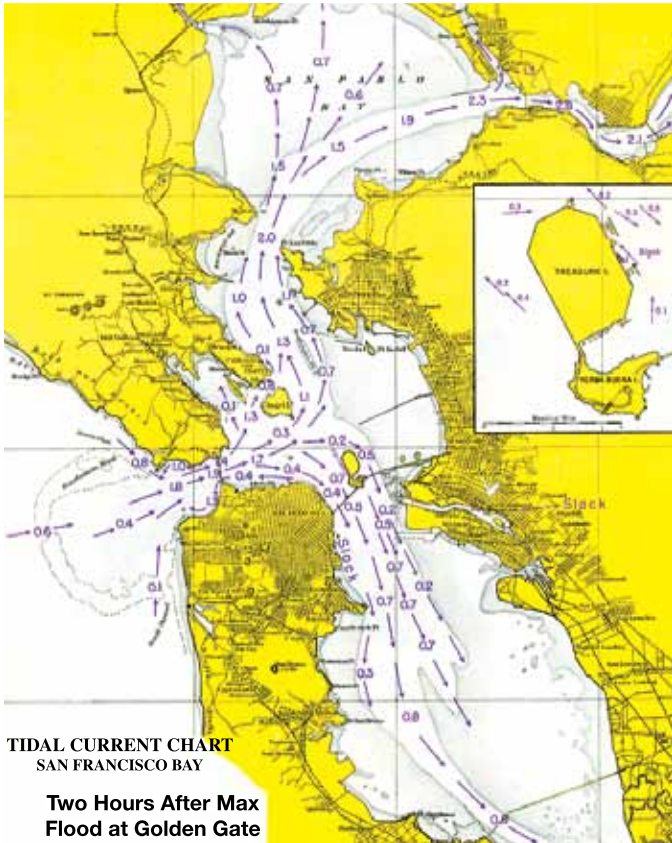


- Jack Frost Midwinters
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- Spring Twilight Series
- Estuary Cup
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- Interclub Series #5
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- SAILstice Invitational
- Fourth of July Regatta
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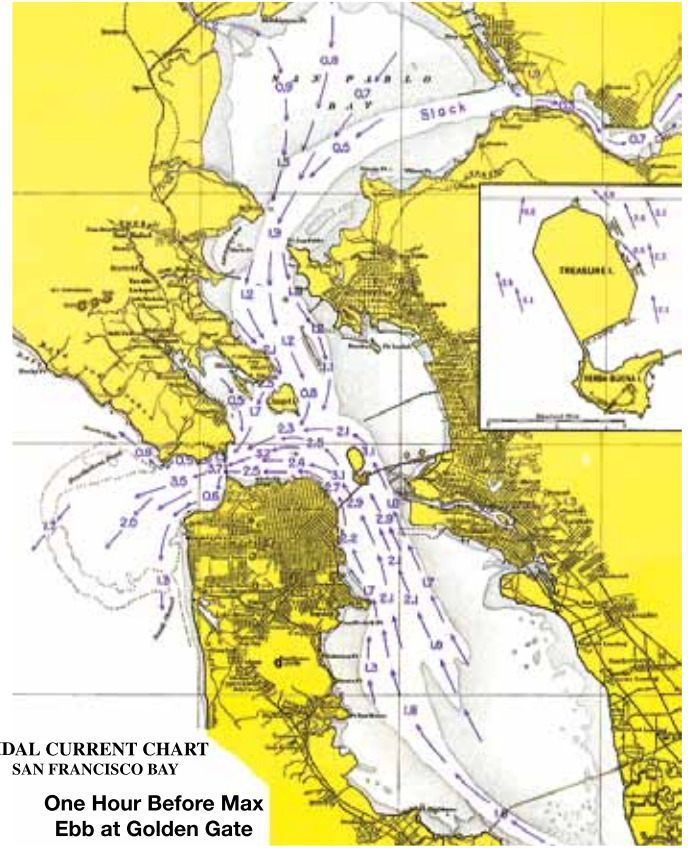
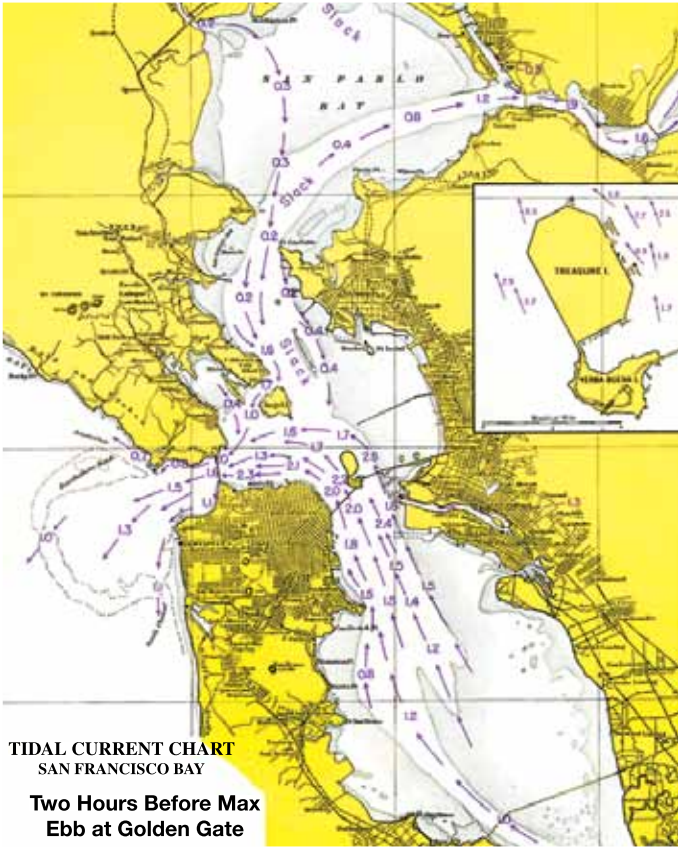
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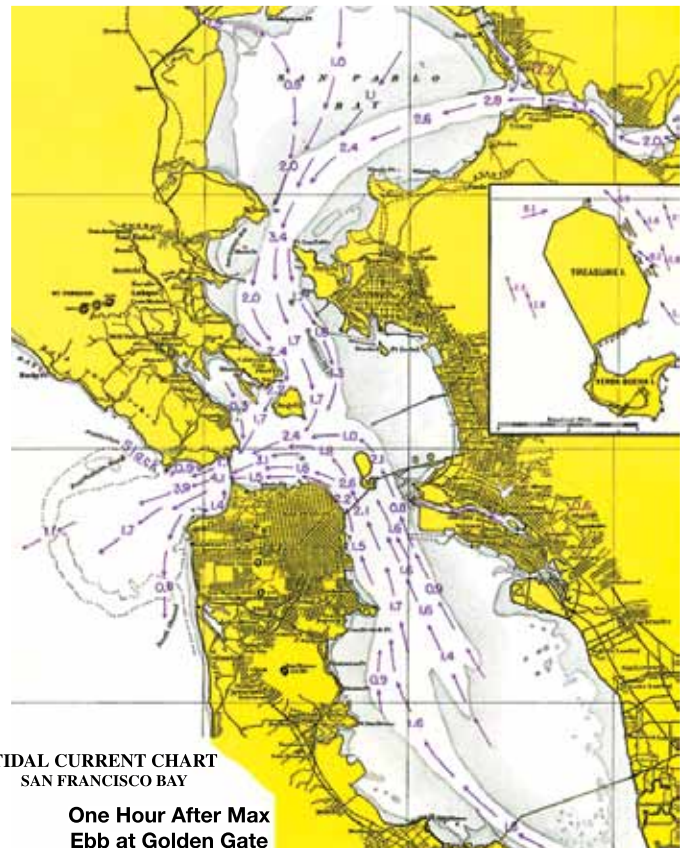
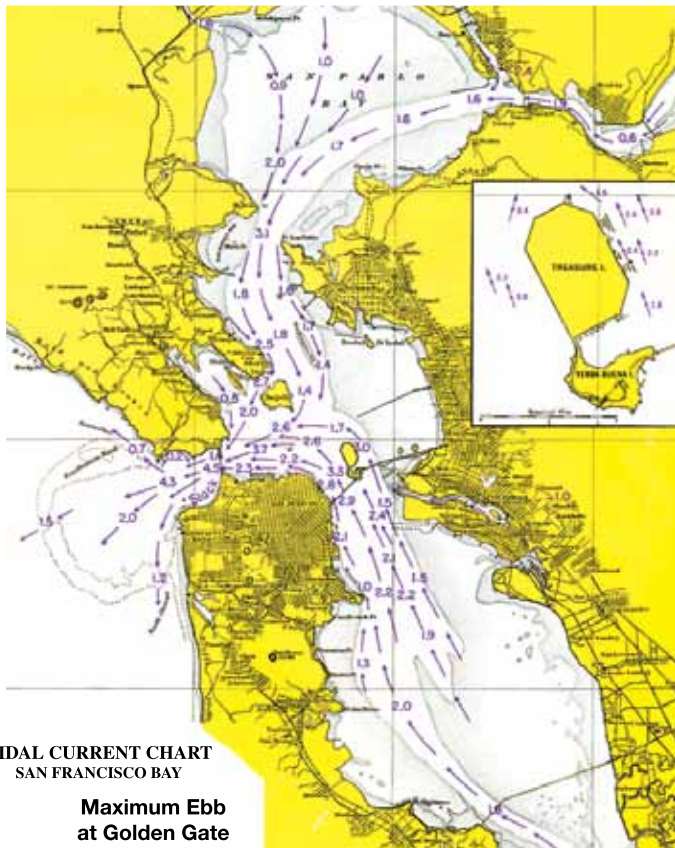
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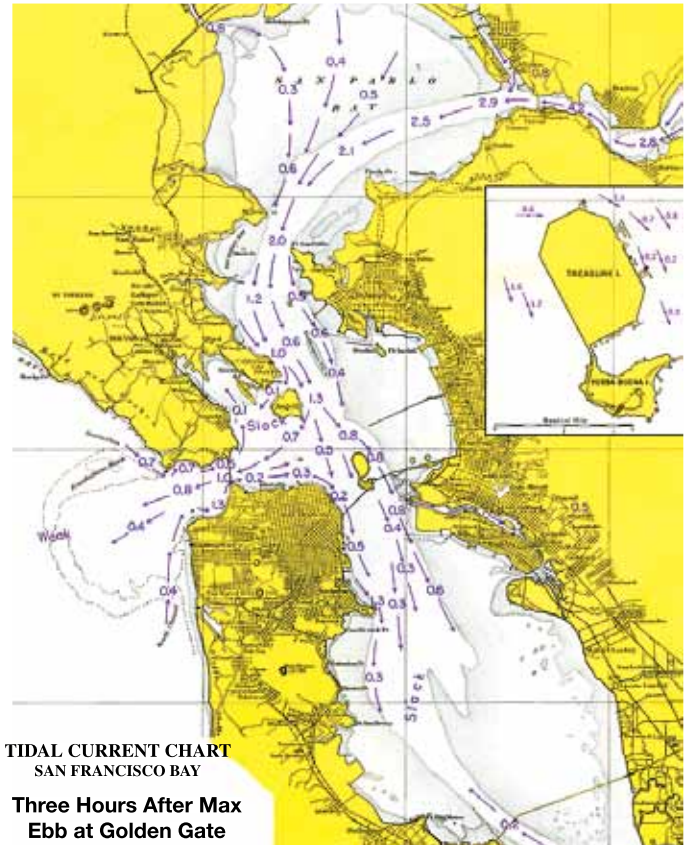
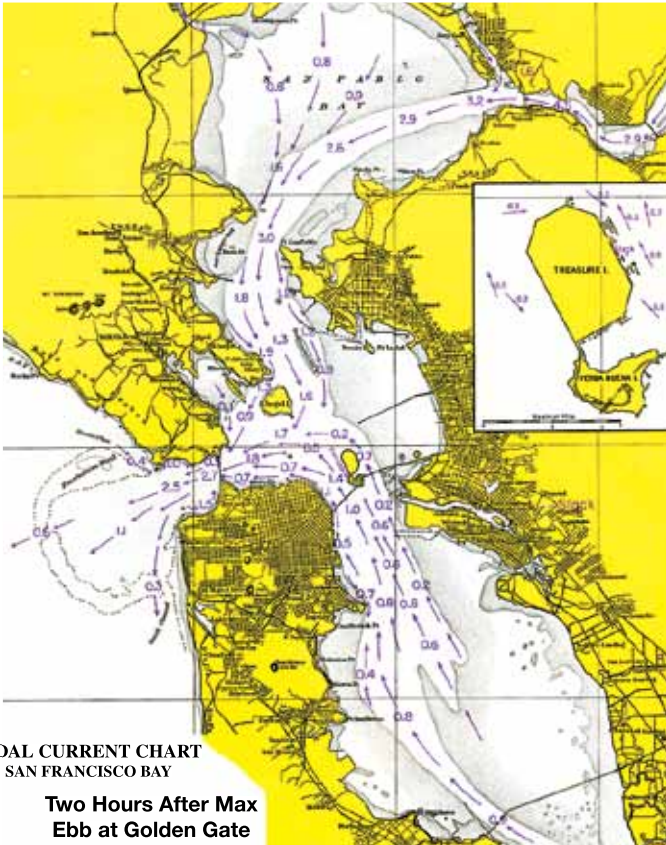
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2018 Weekend Currents

January - June

J A N U A R Y	date/day	slack	max	slack	max
	1/01Mon	0036 1130	0242/1.3E 1418/3.1E	0518 1848	0848/3.5F 2154/3.7F
	1/06Sat		0106/3.7F 1306/2.6F	0442 1600	0706/1.5E 1854/2.2E
	1/7Sun		0154/3.4F 1406/2.2F	0530 1706	0754/1.5E 1954/1.8E
	1/13Sat		0106/1.1E 1306/2.0E	0342 1730	0700/2.7F 2036/2.9F
	1/14Sun		0154/1.1E 1348/2.1E	0430 1812	0748/2.7F 2118/3.1F
	1/20Sat		0006/3.0F 1154/2.3F	0342 1436	0600/1.2E 1730/2.0E
	1/21Sun		0042/3.0F 1242/2.1F	0412 1518	0636/1.3E 1818/1.8E
	1/27Sat		0548/2.9F 1906/2.7F	0848 2236	1130/2.3E 2336/2.9F
	1/28Sun		0048/1.1E 1224/2.6E	0312 1654	0642/3.1F 2000/3.2F
A P R I L	date/day	slack	max	slack	max
	4/01Sun	0206 1454	0448/2.5E 1730/2.0E	0842 2036	1136/3.4F 2342/3.6F
	4/07Sat		0336/1.6F 1736/2.3F	0630 2118	0906/1.2E 2312/0.8E
	4/08Sun		0436/1.4F 1830/2.4F	0730 2212	1024/1.1E 2306/1.1E
	4/14Sat		0312/2.1E 1524/1.7E	0636 1830	0948/2.7F 2200/3.4F
	4/15Sun		0336/2.3E 1606/1.7E	0712 1906	1024/2.9F 2236/3.5F
	4/21Sat		0230/2.5F 1548/2.8F	0506 1942	0748/2.4E 2154/0.9E
	4/22Sun		0336/2.2F 1654/3.0F	0612 2048	0854/2.1E 2306/1.1E
	4/28Sat		0306/2.6E 1536/1.9E	0700 1842	0948/3.4F 2154/3.8F
	4/29Sun		0342/2.7E 1618/1.8E	0748 1924	1042/3.5F 2230/3.6F
F E B R U A R Y	date/day	slack	max	slack	max
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	2/10Sat		0542/2.2F 1930/2.6F	0900 2248	1154/1.5E 2248/2.6F
	2/11Sun		0048/1.0E 1248/1.7E	0324 1700	0636/2.3F 2018/2.9F
	2/17Sat		0436/1.6E 1630/2.1E	0724 2000	1048/2.7F 2330/3.2F
	2/18Sun		0506/1.7E 1712/1.9E	0806 2030	1130/2.6F 2030/2.6F
	2/19Mon		0006/3.2F 1218/2.4F	0312 1506	0536/1.8E 1754/1.7E
	2/24Sat		0424/2.6F 1748/2.5F	0718 2124	1000/2.0E 2336/1.0E
	2/25Sun		0524/2.7F 1848/3.0F	0818 2224	1112/2.2E 2224/3.0F
M A R C H	date/day	slack	max	slack	max
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	3/31Sat		0412/2.5E 1636/2.2E	0754 2000	1048/3.6F 2306/3.9F
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	6/02Sat		0048/2.2F 1412/2.8F	0324 1818	0624/2.0E 2012/0.9E
	6/03Sun		0136/1.8F 1500/2.6F	0406 1906	0712/1.8E 2100/0.8E
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	6/10Sun		0118/2.1E 1348/1.1E	0518 1618	0818/2.2F 2012/3.2F
	6/16Sat		0006/3.2F 1312/3.7F	0242 1654	0536/3.1E 1906/1.2E
	6/17Sun		0100/2.9F 1400/3.6F	0336 1748	0630/2.9E 2006/1.3E
	6/23Sat		0042/2.1E 1306/1.3E	0454 1554	0742/2.5F 1918/3.2F
	6/24Sun		0130/2.2E 1400/1.3E	0548 1648	0842/2.8F 2012/3.2F
	6/30Sat		0524/2.3E 1854/1.1E	0942 2112	1300/3.1F 2112/1.1E

VHF Radio Channel Uses

Of all the safety equipment on your boat, your VHF radio is probably the most effective and essential. Because VHF uses common frequencies, it's important to remember a few rules of marine radio etiquette:

- Radio checks, which should be performed at least every time you leave your slip, should always be conducted on channel 9, never on channel 16.
- Before hailing another station on channel 16, listen for at least one minute before

keying your mic, so as not to "step" on radio traffic that's already underway.

- Speak slowly and pause for at least a minute between hailing attempts.
- Always start on the "low" power setting.
- Don't use the radio if you have non-emergency traffic that can be accomplished with a mobile phone.

July - December

NOAA Predictions at the Golden Gate Entrance

JULY	date/day	slack	max	slack	max
	7/01Sun	1006 2148	0024/2.3F 1336/3.0F	0306 1730	0606/2.1E 1936/1.0E
	7/07Sat	0242 1354	0554/1.5F 1754/2.8F	0912 2112	1136/0.9E 2348/1.8E
	7/08Sun	0354 1454	0654/1.8F 1848/2.9F	1024 2154	1236/0.9E
	7/14Sat	0142 1536	0436/3.1E 1754/1.5E	0854 2036	1200/3.9F 2354/3.3F
	7/15Sun	0236 1618	0530/3.0E 1842/1.6E	0936 2130	1248/3.9F
	7/21Sat	0330 1424	0618/2.2F 1754/2.8F	0936 2118	1148/1.1E
	7/22Sun	1042 2206	1248/1.1E 1848/2.8F	1524	1848/2.8F
	7/28Sat	0130 1524	0430/2.3E 1736/1.3E	0842 2006	1148/3.3F 2318/2.6F
	7/29Sun	0206 1554	0506/2.2E 1812/1.3E	0906 2042	1218/3.2F
	10/06Sat	1148 2342	0136/2.2E 1430/2.1E	0524 1748	0830/3.7F 2042/3.2F
	10/07Sun	1224 1004	0236/2.3E 0324/2.3E	0612 0654	0918/3.9F 1000/4.0F
	10/08Mon	1306	1548/2.6E	1930	2230/3.6F
	10/13Sat	1012 2324	0148/2.9F 1330/2.6F	0530 1618	0742/1.3E 1906/2.0E
	10/14Sun	1106	0248/2.6F 1418/2.1F	0636 1712	0842/1.0E 1948/1.7E
	10/20Sat	1130 2318	0118/1.3E 1354/1.6E	0442 1712	0806/2.9F 2006/2.0F
	10/21Sun	1154	0200/1.4E 1430/1.8E	0512 1754	0836/3.0F 2054/2.3F
	10/27Sat	0842 2136	0024/3.0F 1224/3.1F	0348 1454	0606/1.2E 1742/2.8E
	10/28Sun	0930 2224	0118/3.0F 1312/2.8F	0448 1542	0706/1.0E 1824/2.7E
AUGUST	8/04Sat	0036 1224	0412/1.6F 1624/2.6F	0724 1930	0954/0.9E 2206/1.6E
	8/05Sun	0148 1324	0524/1.7F 1724/2.6F	0854 2024	1112/0.8E 2300/1.8E
	8/11Sat	0048 1418	0342/3.0E 1642/1.8E	0754 1942	1054/4.0F 2248/3.6F
	8/12Sun	0142 1500	0436/2.9E 1724/1.9E	0836 2030	1136/4.1F 2342/3.5F
	8/18Sat	0142 1254	0442/2.1F 1624/2.5F	0806 1942	1024/1.1E 2224/1.5E
	8/19Sun	0254 1400	0600/2.2F 1724/2.3F	0924 2042	1130/1.0E 2336/1.4E
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	9/15Sat	1130 0100	0306/2.4F 0424/2.5F	0642 0800	0854/1.2E 1006/0.9E
	9/16Sun	1230	1548/2.1F	1854	2130/1.3E
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NOVEMBER	11/03Sat	1036 2236	0018/1.9E 1312/2.0E	0354 1642	0712/3.5F 1930/2.8F
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	11/10Sat	0318 1406	0536/1.3E 1654/2.3E	0806 2118	1118/2.8F
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Ch. #	Intended Use	Ch. #	Intended Use
16	Distress, safety, calling. Monitored by the Coast Guard and public coast stations.	22A	U.S. Coast Guard Communications with USCG stations, vessels and aircraft after contact on channel 13 or 16.
6	Intership safety purposes and search and rescue (SAR) communications. Not to be used for non-safety matters.	7A, 8, 9, 10, 11, 18A, 19A, 79A, 80A, 88A	Port Operations. Commercial (intership and ship to coast) working channel. Commercial vessel business and operational needs.
12	Offshore Vessel Movement Reporting System. In use from Pilot Boarding Precautionary Area Approach buoys N, W and S to outer limits of System (N 41 nm, W 29 nm, S29 nm).	9, 68, 69, 71, 72, 77A, 78A	Port Operations. Commercial (intership and ship to coast) working channel. Supplies, repairs, berthing, yacht harbors, marinas. These are the channels used by race committees.
13	Bridge to Bridge commercial vessel navigation and safety communications. In use from the Offshore Pilot Boarding Precautionary Area (buoy SF #1 – Sea Buoy) to inside the Bay and throughout the Delta regions.	26, 84, 87, 27, 28, 86, 25, 26, 27, 28	Marine Radio-Telephone Operators San Francisco, Sacramento, Stockton, Delta North: Bodega Bay to Fort Bragg and 50 miles out South: Santa Cruz to Point Sur and 50 miles out
14	Vessel Traffic Service (VTS). Power Driven Vessels (40+ meters), Passenger Vessels (50+ passengers), Towing Vessels (8+ meters w/tow), Marine Events (committee boat, organizer). Check in, MONITOR , update, check out.	12, 20, 65A, 66A, 73, 74	Coast Guard Port Operations. Traffic advisory for use by agencies directing movements of vessels in or near ports. Offshore Vessel Movement Reporting System.
		WX 1-2-3	Weather (receive only).

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2018 Beer Can Series

The 2018 Beer Can Series Schedule follows. Beer can races are great venues for sailors to learn racing skills, try out new crew, bring the family, socialize, and have fun.

If your club has a beer can series you would like to list here next year, please email your schedule and contact information to soren@latitude38.com, or fax it to (415) 383-5816, by November 10, 2018.

Ballena Bay Yacht Club

Friday Night Grillers: 3/30, 4/13, 4/27, 5/11, 5/25, 6/8, 6/22, 7/20, 8/3, 8/17, 8/31, 9/14.
(510) 865-2511, race@bbyc.org, www.bbyc.org

Bay View Boat Club

Monday Night Madness. Spring: 4/16, 4/30, 5/14, 5/28, 6/11, 6/18 (make-up). Fall: 7/23, 8/6, 8/20, 9/3, 9/17, 9/24 (make-up). Barbara Attard, (415) 308-9633, battard@comcast.net, www.bayviewboatclub.org

Benicia Yacht Club

Thursday nights: 4/5-9/27. Dan Carnahan, (707) 319-5706, race@beniciayachtclub.com, www.beniciayachtclub.com

Berkeley Yacht Club

Every Friday night: 3/30-9/28. Paul Kamen, (510) 540-7968, pk@well.com, www.berkeleyyc.org

Cal Sailing Club

Races year-round, weather and tides permitting. For members only. www.cal-sailing.org

Corinthian Yacht Club

Every Friday night: 4/13-8/24. Marcus Canestra, (415) 435-4771, racing@cyc.org, www.cyc.org

Coyote Point Yacht Club

Every Wednesday night: 4/11-10/3. (650) 347-6730, regatta@cpyc.com, www.cpyc.com

Encinal Yacht Club

Friday nights. Spring Twilight Series: 4/6, 4/20, 5/4, 5/18, 6/8. Summer Twilight Series: 7/6, 7/20, 8/3, 8/17, 9/7. Ted Floyd, (925) 699-3726, rearcommodore@encinal.org, www.encinal.org

Folsom Lake Yacht Club

Wednesday Night Beer Cans: 5/2-8/29. Summer Sunset Series: 5/12, 6/16, 7/14, 8/4. (916) 534-8458, www.flyc.org

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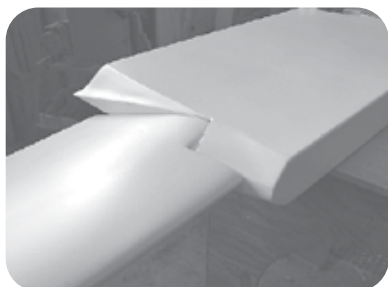
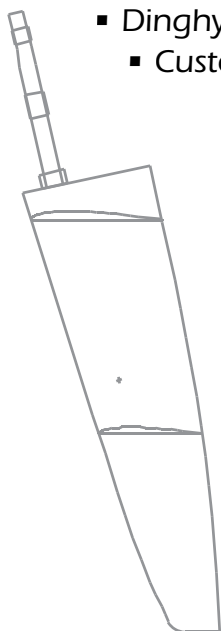
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2018 RACING SCHEDULE

1/14, 2/11, 3/11: Estuary Midwinters Island Days

Mar 31: **Sadie Hawkins** Woman-Skippered Race
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Apr 7: **37th Annual Doublehanded Lightship**



Apr-Sept: **Spring & Summer Twilight Series**
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Apr-Sept: **Interclub Races**

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Mar '19: **Estuary Midwinters Island Days**
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Golden Gate Yacht Club

Friday nights: 5/4, 5/18, 6/1, 6/15, 6/29, 7/13, 7/27, 8/10, 8/24.

Charles Hodgkins, (510) 504-4076,
raceoffice@ggyc.com, www.ggyc.com

Island Yacht Club

Friday nights.

Spring Island nights: 4/13, 4/27, 5/11, 6/1, 6/15.

Summer Island nights: 7/13, 7/27, 8/10, 8/24, 9/14.

David Ross, (510) 521-2985,
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www.kbsail.org

Lake Tahoe Windjammers Yacht Club

Wednesday nights: June 27-October 10.

Jeff Fellicetti, (775) 544 8268, felicettijeffrey@gmail.com, www.tahoewindjammers.com

Lake Washington Sailing Club

Every Thursday Night: May-September.
www.lwsailing.org

Lake Yosemite Sailing Association

Every Thursday Night: May-September.

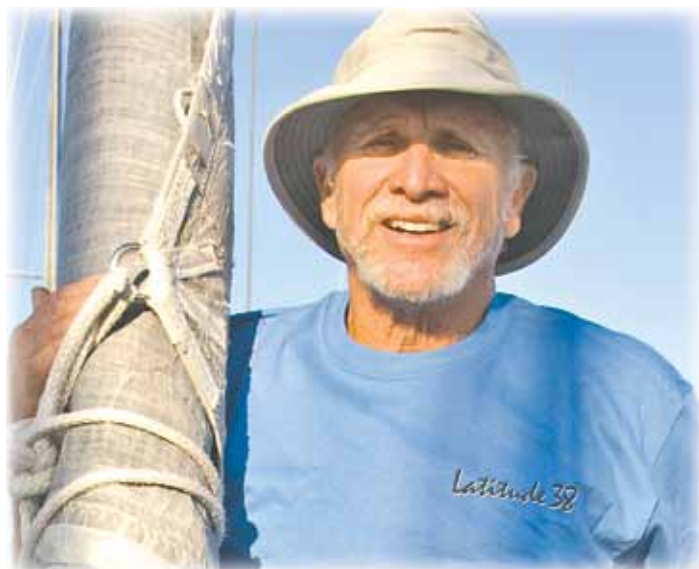
Dennis Wainwright, (209) 722-1947,
speedyw1955@yahoo.com,
www.lakeyosemitesailing.org

Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club

Wednesday nights: Sunset Series,
late September-March.
race@mpyc.org, www.mpyc.org



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King of the Beer Cans. Chuck Hooper conquered *Latitude 38's* Beer Can Challenge on the Contessa 33 *Warwhoop* September 18-23, sailing in a different series for five evenings in a row mostly singlehanded.

Oakland Yacht Club

Sweet 16 Series.

Every Wednesday Night: 5/2-6/13 & 7/18-9/5.

Jim Hild, (510) 277-4676,
oysracecom@gmail.com, www.oaklandyachtclub.com

Richmond Yacht Club

Wednesday nights: 4/4, 4/18, 4/25, 5/2, 5/16, 5/23,
5/30, 6/6, 6/20, 6/27, 7/4, 7/11, 7/18, 7/25,
8/1, 8/8, 8/15, 8/22, 8/29, 9/5, 9/19, 9/26.

Eric Arens, (510) 841-6022,
saucierimages@comcast.net, www.richmondyc.org

Santa Cruz Yacht Club

Wednesday nights: 3/14-10/31. (831) 425-0690,
scyc@scyc.org, www.scyc.org

Sausalito Yacht Club

Tuesday nights.

Spring Sunset Series: 5/8, 5/22, 6/5, 6/19.

Summer Sunset Series: 7/24, 8/7, 8/21, 9/4.

Mary Wand, 510-757-3317,
race@sausalitoyachtclub.org,
www.sausalitoyachtclub.org

Sequoia Yacht Club

Every Wednesday Night: 4/18-10/3.

Scott Scherer, *(410) 212-8177,
s.scherer80@gmail.com,
www.sequoiayc.org

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Sierra Point Yacht Club

Tuesday nights: 5/1-8/28.
Quincy Bragg, (650) 291-4061,
racing@sierrapointyc.org
www.sierrapointyc.org

South Beach Yacht Club

Friday Night Series: 4/20, 4/27, 5/4,
5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/15, 6/22, 6/29,
7/20, 7/27, 8/3, 8/17, 8/24.
Andrew Lorenzen, (813) 695-2788,
rearcommodore@southbeachyachtclub.org,
www.southbeachyachtclub.org

Stockton Sailing Club

Every Wednesday Night: 6/6-8/29.
(209) 951-5600,
regatta16@stocktonsc.org,
www.stocktonsc.org

Tahoe Yacht Club

Monday nights: Laser Series,
5/28-9/10. Wednesday nights: Beer
Can Series, 5/30-8/29.
Andrew Casci, (530) 581-4700,
gm@tahoeyc.com,
www.tahoeyc.com

Tiburon Yacht Club

Every Friday night: 5/25-8/10.
Cam Tuttle, (415) 789-9294,
race@tyc.org, www.tyc.org

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2018 Midwinter Series

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Bay View Boat Club

Midwinter Madness. Second Saturday, October-March.
Remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/13, 2/10, 3/10.
Terry Mahoney, (408) 210-0517, tmahoney22@gmail.com,
www.bayviewboatclub.org

Berkeley Yacht Club

Midwinters, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/13, 1/14, 2/10, 2/11.
Midwinters Champion of Champions: 2/25.
Fall 2018 dates: 11/10, 11/11, 12/8, 12/9.
Bobbi Tosse, (925) 939-9885, bobbi_john@jfcbat.com
Chowder Series, remaining 2017-18 season: 1/7, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4,
2/18, 2/25, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 3/25. Fall 2018: 10/7, 10/14, 10/21,
10/28, 11/4, 11/18, 11/25, 12/2, 12/16, 12/23, 12/30. Paul Kamen,
(510) 540-7968, pk@well.com, www.berkeleyyc.org

Corinthian Yacht Club

Midwinters: 1/20-21, 2/17-18.
Marcus Canestra, (415) 435-4771, racing@cyc.org, www.cyc.org

Encinal Yacht Club

Jack Frost Midwinters, remaining 2017-2018 season:
1/6, 2/3, 3/3. Fall 2018: 11/3, 12/1.
Ted Floyd (925) 699-3726,
rearcommodore@encinal.org, www.encinal.org

Golden Gate Yacht Club

Seaweed Soup Regatta, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/6, 2/3, 3/3.
Fall 2018: 11/3, 12/1.
Charles Hodgkins 510-504-4076,
raceoffice@ggyc.com, www.ggyc.org

Island Yacht Club

Island Days, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/14, 2/11, 3/11.
Fall 2018: 11/11, 12/9. John New, (510) 521-2980,
iycracing@yahoo.com, www.iyc.org

Lake Merritt Sailing Club

Robinson Memorial Midwinters, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/14,
2/10, 3/11. Peggy Darnall, (510) 836-1805.

Monterey Peninsula Yacht Club

Perry Cup Midwinters; remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/6, 2/3.
Fall 2018: 12/1 race@mpyc.org, www.mpyc.org



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Jim Hild, (510) 277-4676,
oycracecom@gmail.com, www.oaklandyachtclub.com

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Winter One Design Series, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/13, 2/10.
Fall 2018: 11/10, 12/8.
Jeff Zarwell, (415) 595-8364,
jzarwell@regattapro.com, info@regattapro.com, www.regattapro.com

Richmond Yacht Club

Small Boat Midwinters, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/7, 2/4, 3/4.
Fall 2018: 12/2.
Nancy Pettengill, (510) 234-1253,
nancy Pettengill@comcast.net, www.richmondyc.org

Santa Cruz Yacht Club

Midwinters, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/20, 2/17, 3/17.
Fall 2018: 11/17, 12/15.
scyc@scyc.org, www.scyc.org

Santa Rosa Sailing Club

Spring Lake Winter Series, remaining 2017-2018 season:
1/22, 2/19, 3/19, 4/9. Fall 2018: 10/22, 11/12, 12/10.
www.santarosasailingclub.org

Sausalito Yacht Club

Chili Midwinters, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/7, 2/4, 3/4. Fall
2018: 11/4, 12/2. Mary Wand, race@sausalitoyachtclub.org,
www.sausalitoyachtclub.org

Sequoia Yacht Club

Winter Series, remaining 2017-2018 season: 1/13, 2/3,
3/10, 3/17 (St. Patrick's Day Race). Fall 2018: 11/3, 12/1.
Redwood Cup, remaining 2017-2018 season: 2/10, 2/24, 3/10.
Fall 2018: 11/17, 12/8.
Scott Scherer, (410) 212-8177, s.scherer80@gmail.com

South Beach Yacht Club

Island Fever Series, remaining 2017-2018 season:
1/20, 2/17, 3/17. Fall 2018: 11/16, 12/15.
Andrew Lorenzen, (813) 695-2788
rearcommadore@southbeachyachtclub.org,
www.southbeachyachtclub.org

Tiburon Yacht Club

Midwinters: 1/6, 2/3, 3/3.
Cam Tuttle, (415) 789-9294, race@tyc.org, www.tyc.org

Vallejo Yacht Club

Tiny Robbins Midwinters, remaining 2017-2018 season:
1/6, 2/3, 3/3. Fall 2018: 10/6, 11/3.
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Saturday, March 31

Sadie Hawkins Race, IYC
David Ross, (510) 521-1985
iycracing@iyc.org, www.iyc.org

Saturday, March 17

Rites of Spring (division for all-female crews), OYC
Jim Hild, (510) 277-4676, oycracecom@gmail.com,
www.oaklandyachtclub.com

Saturday, March 24

Doublehanded Farallones, Double Dame Division
(650) 394-6343, DHF@sfbama.org, www.sfbama.org

Saturday, July 7

Jack and Jill Race, SSC
(209) 951-5600, regatta16@stocktonsc.org,
www.stocktonsc.org

Sunday, August 19

Gracie & George Regatta, EYC
Theo Rohr, (510) 205-2451
rearcommodore@encinal.org, www.encinal.org

Saturday, August 25

Women Skippers Regatta, SYC
Mary Wand, (510) 757-3317
race@sausalitoyachtclub.org, www.sausalitoyachtclub.org

Sunday, September 9

Women's Skipper Race, PresYC
Sarah Cherif, (415) 677-7917, presidioyc@gmail.com

Sunday, September TBD

Jack & Jill, KBSC
www.kbsail.com

Saturday, September 22

Jack and Jill Regatta, SCYC
info@scyc.org, www.scyc.org

Saturday & Sunday, September 22-23

Women's Sailing Seminar (race Sunday), IYC, David Ross,
(510) 521-1985, iycracing@iyc.org, www.iyc.org

Saturday, October 13

Joan Storer Regatta, TYC
Cam Tuttle, (415) 706-4580,
race@tyc.org, www.tyc.org

Saturday, October 20

Red Bra Regatta, SBYC
Andrew Lorenzen, (813) 695-2788
rearcommodore@southbeachyachtclub.org,
www.southbeachyachtclub.org

Sunday, November 4

Amazing Grace Cheney Cup
Gail Yando, 510-517-6081
gail.yando@sbcglobal.net, www.richmondyc.org

Sunday, November 4

Jill & Jack + 1 (woman skipper triplehanded race), IYC, David Ross, (510) 521-1985,
iycracing@yahoo.com, www.iyc.org



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April 21 - 22

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2018 Shorthanded Circuit

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Jan. 27	Three Bridge Fiasco, SSS
Feb. 24	Corinthian Regatta, SSS
March 3	Single/Doublehanded #1, SeqYC
March 17	Rites of Spring Race, OYC
March 17	Doublehanded Long Distance, SSC
March 24	Doublehanded Farallones, BAMA
March 31	Single/Doublehanded #2, Seqyc
April 7	Single/Doublehanded #3, Seqyc
April 7	Doublehanded Lightship Race, IYC
April 14	Round the Rocks, SSS
April 21	YRA OYRA Lightship
April 28-29	YRA Great Vallejo Race
May 12	YRA OYRA Duxship
May 19	Singlehanded Farallones Race, SSS
May 26	Spinnaker Cup to Monterey, SFYC/MPYC
June 9	YRA OYRA Farallones Race
June 23	YRA OYRA RC's Choice
June 30	YRA Westpoint Regatta
July 7	Jack and Jill Race, SSC
July 21	YRA OYRA One-Way to Half Moon Bay
July 22	Doublehanded Races, LTWYC
July 28-29	YRA Encinal Regatta
Aug. 4	Single/Doublehanded #4, SeqYC
Aug. 4	YRA OYRA RC's Choice
Aug. 18-19	YRA OYRA Drake's Bay Race
Aug. 19	Gracie & George Race, EYC
Aug. 20	Singlehanded Races, LTWYC
Sept. 8	Single/Doublehanded #5, SeqYC
Sept. 15	Half Moon Bay Race, SSS
Sept. 22	Shorthanded Races, TYC
Sept. 22	Jack and Jill Regatta, SCYC
Sept. 22	YRA OYRA Jr Waterhouse
Sept. 29-30	YRA Corinthian Regatta
Oct. 20-21	Vallejo 1-2, SSS
Nov. 4	Jill & Jack + 1 Race (Triplehanded), IYC

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These requirements are for races held within San Francisco Bay. Please check with the Organizing Authority for Ocean Races that have separate requirements.

- 1.1 These Minimum Equipment Requirements establish uniform minimum equipment and training standards for a variety of boats racing in San Francisco Bay under YRA. These regulations do not replace, but rather supplement, the requirements of the US Coast Guard, the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the rules of Class Associations, and all applicable rating rules.
- 1.2 The safety of a boat and her crew is the sole and inescapable responsibility of the “person in charge,” as per RRS 46, who shall ensure that the boat is seaworthy and manned by an experienced crew with sufficient ability and experience to face bad weather. S/he shall be satisfied as to the soundness of hull, spars, rigging, sails and all gear. S/he shall ensure that all safety equipment is at all times properly maintained and safely stowed and that the crew knows where it is kept and how it is to be used.
- 1.3 A boat may be inspected at any time by an inspector or measurer of the Organizing Authority. If she does not comply with these regulations her entry may be rejected, or will be liable to disqualification, or such other penalty as may be prescribed by the race protest committee.
- 1.4 All equipment required shall function properly, be regularly checked, cleaned and serviced, and be of a type, size and capacity suitable for the intended use and size of the boat and the size of the crew. This equipment shall be readily accessible while underway and, when not in use, stored in such a way that deterioration is minimized.
- 1.5 A boat’s heavy items such as batteries, stoves, toolboxes, anchors, chain and internal ballast shall be secured.
- 2.5.3A boat shall have a manual bilge pump of at least a 10 GPM capacity.
- 3.1.2Each crewmember shall have a life jacket that provides at least 33.7 lbs of buoyancy. Belt packs are not allowed.
- 3.3.1A boat racing between sunset and sunrise shall carry navigation lights that meet U.S. Coast Guard or applicable government requirements mounted so that they will not be obscured by the sails nor be located below deck level.
- 3.4 A boat shall carry fire extinguisher(s) that meets U.S. Coast Guard or applicable government requirements, when applicable.
- 3.5 A boat shall carry sound-making devices that meets U.S. Coast Guard or applicable government requirements, when applicable.
- 3.6.4 A boat shall carry U.S. Coast Guard flares meeting day/night requirements not older than the expiration date. Alternately, non-pyrotechnic distress signals (distress flag for day, SOS light for night) which meet USCG requirements may be substituted.
- 3.7.3 A boat shall have a throwing sock-type heaving line of 50’ (15m) or greater of floating polypropylene line readily accessible to the cockpit.
- 3.8 A boat shall carry a U.S. Coast Guard-approved Type IV throwable device.
- 3.9 A boat shall have a VHF radio which may be handheld or fixed mount.
- 3.11 A boat shall have at least one means to navigate (charts, GPS) which is appropriate for the race area and the characteristics of the boat.
- 3.19.1 A boat shall have a magnetic compass independent of the boat’s electrical system suitable for steering at sea.
- 3.23 A boat shall carry one anchor, meeting the anchor manufacturer’s recommendations based on the yacht’s size, with a suitable combination of chain and line.
- 3.25 A boat shall carry a first aid kit and first aid manual suitable for the likely conditions of the passage and the number of crew aboard.
- 3.27.2 A boat shall carry one sturdy bucket of at least two gallons (8 liters) capacity with lanyards attached.
- 4.2 Annually, two-thirds of the boat’s racing crew shall practice man-overboard procedures appropriate for the boat’s size and speed. The practice shall consist of marking and returning to a position on the water, and demonstrating a method of hoisting crewmember back on deck, or other consistent means of reboarding the crewmember.



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PHRF Rules & Guidelines

I. Definition

The NCPHRF Committee is a Standing Committee of the Yacht Racing Association of San Francisco Bay. Its sole function is to determine the speed potential of yachts that meet the criteria of Section II below. It will assign rating values to yachts for which a rating application is filed. Such values will be in seconds per mile and assume a mixture of Around the Buoy and Windward Leeward racing on San Francisco Bay and the surrounding area. The NCPHRF Committee recognizes that the handicaps will be used in a variety of races ranging from protected bays, estuaries and lakes to open oceans. Therefore, the Committee has no responsibility for the seaworthiness or safety of yachts rated, but cites the US SAILING Fundamental Rule 4 part 1: "It shall be the sole responsibility of each yacht to decide whether or not to start or to continue to race."

A variety of conditions are encountered ranging from typical late spring and summer afternoon conditions with a 15 to 25 knot wind range to the milder winds often encountered in the fall, winter and early spring ranging from 5 to 15 knots.

Windward/Leeward courses and racing in the seasons of lighter winds have become more popular. Assigned ratings for Around the Buoy Races attempt to reflect average performance over this broad range; but will necessarily be influenced by the venues in which the yacht is typically expected to sail. Additionally Downwind ratings are assigned for Port To Port races that consist essentially of off wind legs with little or no beating to weather.

It is to be expected therefore that the conditions prevalent on any given race day may favor one yacht over another and hence the silver is likely to be spread around a bit, not at all a bad thing for the less than Grand Prix arena that NCPHRF strives to satisfy.

II. Criteria

The NCPHRF Committee shall establish performance ratings for sailboats which:

- Have ballast and are single hulled.
- Have a canoe body of nineteen feet or greater.
- Have minimum solid ballast of 400 pounds, unless a base rating was established prior to 1998.
- Have submitted a properly completed application and supporting information to enable the Committee to understand the shape, size and speed-producing factors of the boat.

The Committee may decline to handicap any yacht for which it feels unable to determine a potential

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speed. For boats new and or unfamiliar to the committee initial ratings will be considered provisional in nature, and may be reviewed and perhaps changed after one season or a series of races has transpired. Boats rated under any other rating system (ORR, IRC, etc), or in possession of a rating certificate from a different PHRF area, must include a copy of the certificates.

It is NCPHRF Committee policy that all documentation must be submitted to the YRA office prior to issuance of a rating. No ratings shall be given over the phone or without full documentation having been made available to the entire committee.

The Committee may invalidate a certificate at any time, where cause is in evidence such as incorrect dimensions or other than declared equipment is used. Due process will be exercised to allow the owner to be heard and corrections made if the owner in the view of the Committee provides justification. Further recourse resides in US Sailing's appeals process.

III. Ratings

The Committee shall assign ratings to yachts based on their potential boat speeds as supported by ORR and IRC ratings, and geometric data such as D, SA/D, LWL, D/L, and other configuration parameters. From time to time the Committee will review performance data and make adjustments it deems necessary. Production boats are assigned base ratings, which may be modified if the boats are changed from stock. Some of the tools used in assigning ratings are detailed below:

- A. Similarity to boats with established ratings.
- B. Ratings from National PHRF Handicaps Manual (for the current year) for other areas around the country.
- C. Pictures and drawings – Out of water pictures of hull, rig, etc.
- D. Ballast Ratio: Ballast/Displacement in lbs. (most suspect of all brochure parameters)
- E. ORR Conversion: $\text{PHRF} = (.95 \times \text{GPH}) - 520$ F. $\text{SA/D} = \text{SA} / ((\text{D}/64)^{.667})$
- G. $\text{PHRF} = 6\text{DPN} - 390$
- H. $\text{D/L} = (\text{D}/2240) / ((\text{LWL}/100)^{.43})$
- I. Prismatic Coefficient = $[\text{Actual Hull Vol. (in cubic feet less keel)}] / (\text{LWL mid-ship cross sectional area})$

A yacht may have only one rating at any time. A copy of the current valid rating certificate must be on board while she is racing under these rules.

Normally base ratings are established at six seconds per mile intervals, i.e., 162 or 168 or 174 or 180, etc. In exceptional circumstances a deviation of three seconds per mile may be adopted for the base rating of a particular class or yacht.

IV. Race Results

Race results for Time-on-Distance races are calculated in the following manner: For each boat,

- (1) Multiply its PHRF rating times the race course distance (in nautical miles) to get its TIME ALLOWANCE. Note that the TIME ALLOWANCE is in seconds, because the rating is in seconds per mile. The course distance should be specified in "rhumb line" distance.
- (2) Subtract the TIME ALLOWANCE from the elapsed time required to finish the racecourse to get its CORRECTED FINISH TIME.

Now sort all the boats in the class on CORRECTED FINISH TIME. The boat with the lowest CORRECTED FINISH TIME is the winner.

Race results for Time on Time are calculated as follows: For each boat,

- (1) Calculate its Time Correction Factor (TCF) = $650 / (550 + \text{PHRF rating})$
- (2) Corrected time = TCF Elapsed time. Elapsed time can be in Seconds, Minutes, or Hours.

Now sort all the boats in the class on CORRECTED FINISH TIME. The boat with the lowest CORRECTED FINISH TIME is the winner.

V. One-Design Rating (I.E. ODR)

If requested, the Committee may provide ODR ratings to one-design classes that have their rules on file in the YRA office. All boats with ODR ratings while sailing in YRA/HDA or other NCPHRF races are to sail in conformation with their one design class rules within the following modifications:

- A. Strict interpretation of limitations to hull, rig and sail dimensions.
- B. No limitation on:
 - (1) sail material,
 - (2) number of sails carried on board while racing (so long as they are class legal size),
 - (3) who may steer,
 - (4) weight or number of crew members.
- C. In the case where class rules prohibit spinnakers, use of spinnakers is permitted while racing NCPHRF, but I and J strictly limit the spinnaker size.

Note that the NCPHRF committee feels that most classes attempt to equalize the speed of their boats with the imposition of the class rules, and if you choose to not use an ODR rating, the Committee

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may assign you a different rating than a sister-ship that agrees to an ODR. In either case, this does not relieve you of filling out a proper application. Boats designed to utilize trapezes and/or hiking straps or whose class rules allow such devices may use them, but it must be specifically stated on their application for rating.

VI. Downwind Ratings

The PHRF Committee has established Downwind ratings, which should be utilized for races where, under normal conditions, 2/3 of the race course is expected to be a reach or a run. Current Northern California regattas that should utilize Downwind Ratings include the Saturday of the Great Vallejo Race, the Delta Ditch Run, the Coastal Cup, the Westpoint Regatta, the Spinnaker Cup, the Windjammers and the Jazz Cup.

VII. Assumptions

As noted previously Certificate ratings are based on sailing courses consisting of beating, reaching and running as well as those of approximately equal amounts of upwind and off-the-wind sailing on San Francisco Bay and surrounding areas. They should not be used for predominately downwind racing. Ratings for downwind races are covered in Article VI.

Wind Ranges can be extremely varied as noted in Article 1 with an occasional 30+ knots gear-buster. As noted in Article 1 and repeated here for emphasis, the ability of a yacht to achieve her best performance in other than the average conditions may be taken into account when there is a significant difference observed in the yachts design parameters that would better suit her to either of the extremes of conditions.

The NCPHRF Base Rating assumes that yachts:

- Are in optimum racing trim with all normal equipment on board;
- Have hull bottoms that are fair and clean;
- Have sails in good condition;
- Have a folding/feathering propeller or a stored or raised outboard;
- Have no jib LP greater than 155% of J; For some yachts the manufacturer delivered configuration may differ and will be so annotated in the NCPHRF Base Rating Report;
- For headsails, the distance from the mid-point of the leech to the closest point on the luff shall not exceed 55% of LP.
- Have mainsail girths not to exceed the maximums

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- for MGU and MGM as prescribed in Article 7;
- H. Have spinnaker, either symmetrical or asymmetrical;
- I. Have spinnaker maximum girth of 180% of J or 180% of SPL (spinnaker pole length) whichever is greater;
- J. Have spinnaker maximum luff of $.95 * [(the\ greater\ of\ I\ or\ ISP)\ 2 + (the\ greater\ of\ J\ or\ SPL)\ 2]^{1/2}$; For some yachts the manufacturer delivered configuration may differ and will be so noted in the NCPHRF Base Rating Report;
- K. Are well sailed;
- L. Are not 'stripped out.' The intent of this rule is that the boat be sailed with all the equipment on board that she had when the committee assigned the handicap. This means that all the doors, drawers; tables and systems are in place. If it is a production boat, all the items that are considered stock by the builder are still on board. If it is a custom boat, it should be as the drawings and photographs presented to the committee. If a rating certificate (IOR, IMS, IRC or MORC) was presented to help assess the boat's speed potential, she should have everything onboard that was present at the measurement. If items have been removed, depending on the weight involved, the committee may adjust the NCPHRF rating of the boat. An exception to the above stated guideline is that cushions may be removed;
- M. All sails must conform to IMS sail dimension limitations, except as may be modified by these Rules and Guidelines. Boats do not need to meet these guidelines. However, if they do not, the committee must be notified of such changes as a rating adjustment may be made.
- N. The NCPHRF Committee will review cases where the same class may have outboard or inboard engines and, where appropriate, establish a different base rating for each type of engine.

Sport Boats

The NCPHRF Committee defines a Sport Boat as any boat with a SA_DW/D ratio ≥ 61 , a D/WL ratio ≤ 105 , carries a sprit and has a LWL $< 32'$.

VIII. Adjustments To Base Ratings

STANDARD BASE RATINGS ARE GIVEN BASED ON THE ASSUMPTIONS IN SECTION VII. DEVIATIONS ARE CREDITED OR PENALIZED AS FOLLOWS:

- A. PROPELLERS (does not apply to outboard engines) 2 blade fixed propeller: + 3 seconds

3 blade fixed propeller: + 6 seconds

B. JIBS

Largest Headsail LP of 125% of J or less: + 3 seconds

Largest Headsail LP of greater than 155% of J but less than 170% of J: -3 seconds
Largest Headsail LP of 170% of J or greater: -6 seconds

C. MAINSAILS

An additional handicap may be applied if these girths are exceeded. MGU = The greater of: $0.28 E + 0.016 P + .85$ ft or $0.38 E$
MGM = The greater of: $0.5 E + 0.022 P + 1.2$ ft or $0.65 E$

A + 3 sec/mi credit will be given for an in-mast furling main.

A + 3 sec/mi credit will be given where the MGM is less than 50% of E.

D. SYMMETRIC SPINNAKERS

A spinnaker pole greater than 100% of standard size, based on I & J, will receive a -3 sec/mi penalty for each 10% increase in pole length.

A spinnaker area greater than 100% of standard size, based on I & J, will receive a -3 sec/mi penalty for each 10% increase in area.

E. ASYMMETRIC SPINNAKERS (INCLUDES CRUISING SPINNAKERS AND GENNAKERS)

Any increase in area over a standard asymmetrical spinnaker will be dealt with on a boat for boat basis, but in general will follow the same assessments for symmetric spinnaker area and pole length adjustments. Any ability to move the tack off centerline will likely receive a penalty of -3 sec/mi due to increased ability to effectively sail a deeper point of sail.

F. ISP greater than I will be dealt with on a boat by boat basis.

G. CARRYING BOTH SYMMETRIC AND ASYMMETRIC SPINNAKERS AT THE SAME TIME

There is no penalty for carrying both a symmetric and asymmetric spinnaker at the same time. Boats typically rigged with a spinnaker pole that opt to tack their spinnaker on the centerline may receive a credit. Boats typically rigged with a fixed sprit that opt to tack their spinnaker on a moveable pole will be reviewed on a boat by boat basis and will receive a penalty.

H. A spinnaker pole greater than 100% of standard size, based on I & J, will receive a -3 sec/mi penalty for each 10% increase in pole length. Spinnaker pole penalties are in addition to any spinnaker area penalties incurred in article D above.

No additional credit is given for:

A. Sail inventories with the headsail LP less than 125% of J.

B. Absence of a spinnaker; (although it is

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strongly recommended the boats sail in separate divisions from spinnaker equipped boats;)

C. Excess weight in the form of optional equipment and gear.

D. Having a spinnaker less than 180% of J

Special rigs and changes in I, J, P and E will be dealt with on a boat-by-boat basis.

Modifications involving changes in (but not limited to) structural configuration, optional materials, ballast and ballast location, engine location, keel, and rudder will be dealt with on a boat-by-boat basis.

Custom or one-off boats will be given "as sailed" or "custom" ratings. (Also see II.E)

When a production boat comes standard with an oversized spinnaker and/or spinnaker pole, the Committee at its discretion may issue an "as sailed" rating. Such rating may or may not be reduced if the spinnaker is cut down to standard dimensions of Section VII.

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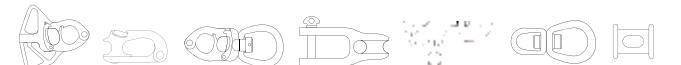


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For unmodified class boats, common measurements for items such as I, J, P, and E, as well as ballast and displacement, can be found online, in sales brochures, in class rules, or from your sailmaker. However, if you have a modified or non-class boat, or cannot find all the required information for your boat, the following guidelines can help walk you through the required measurements.

If you have a current or expired certificate and need to make changes to your boat's configuration, please contact the YRA office to discuss your changes and what forms may be necessary. Any other questions, please contact the YRA office at (415) 771-9500 or via email at info@yra.org.

SAIL NUMBER

This should be a number that the YRA office has assigned to your boat. Please call the YRA office for more information. Sail Prefix is a country code. This space can be blank or it might say USA or IRL.

CLASS/TYPE

We are looking for the type of boat you have – like a Cal 20 or Islander 36. If your boat is custom-made or one of a kind, please indicate so. If it was designed under some rule, please tell us what rule; e.g., 6-meter, IOR 1/4-ton, etc. In this case, if you have any measurement certificate, no matter how old, please include a copy of it with your application for rating.

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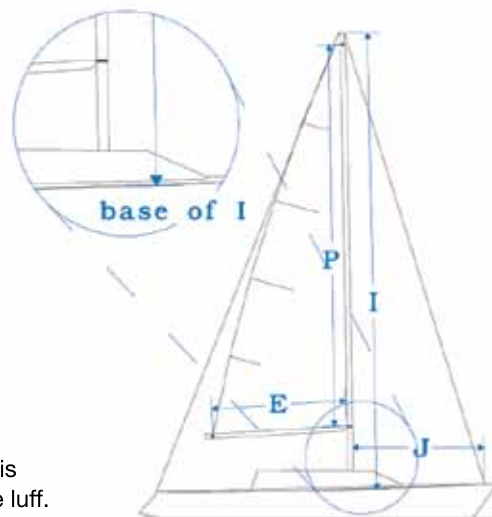
Refer to the NCPHRF Rules (www.yra.org) to find out if this applies to you. It is anticipated that other members in your class who know and understand your rules and limitations, as modified by Section V, will monitor the OD ratings.

RIG AND SAIL MEASUREMENTS

What is the source of the information provided? We are looking for where you obtained the information on your certificate. Please indicate by circling which sources apply.

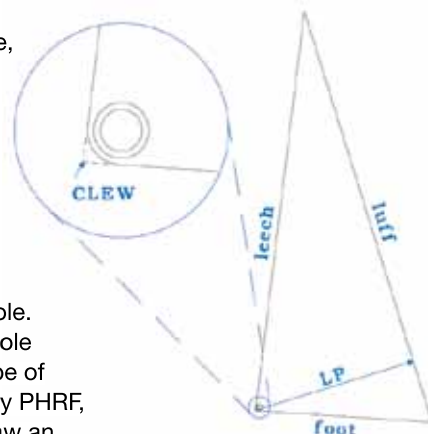
FORETRIANGLE

- I Vertical distance from upper point of 'I' to lower point of 'I'
Upper point of 'I' is the highest of:
 - 1. Intersection of mast and highest jibstay.
 - 2. Highest sheave for jib halyard drawn horizontal to mast.Lower point of 'I' is the sheerline abreast the mast (not the cabin top).
The sheerline is the intersection of the deck and the hull.
- J Horizontal distance from mast to where the forward-most jibstay intersects the deck, or jib tack. Note that 'JC' is no longer on this form.



LARGEST HEADSAIL

Largest Headsail percent is $LP/J \times 100$. The LP (Luff Perpendicular) of your jibs is determined by measuring the distance from the clew to the nearest point on the luff. This is done by holding the zero end of a tape measure at the clew (defined as the intersection of the leech and the foot), removing the wrinkles from the area to be measured, and swinging an arc up and down the luff, recording the minimum distance, then dividing by J and multiplying by 100. For example, suppose you measure an LP of 15.5 feet on your biggest headsail, and your J is 10 feet. Your largest headsail is $15.5/10 \times 100 = 155\%$, which happens to be the largest non-penalty headsail allowed under PHRF for a 10-ft J. Your sailmaker is also a source of information on sail dimensions.



SPL = Spinnaker Pole Length

Spinnaker Pole Length is the length of the spinnaker pole when set in position on the mast; measured from the front face of the mast to the extreme outboard end of the pole. Please note the distinction between a whisker pole and a spinnaker pole: A whisker pole may be used to pole out any jib (but may NOT attach to any type of spinnaker), may be of any length, and may be adjustable. Information on your whisker pole is not required by PHRF, and should not be used as an answer for the spinnaker pole length, as it will often draw an unnecessary penalty.

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2018 OYRA Series

Lightship
April 21st

Half Moon Bay
June 23rd

Drakes Bay
August 18th & 19th

Duxship
May 12th

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July 21st

Wild Card #2
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August 4th

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ISP ('I' for the spinnaker)

ISP = spinnaker hoist. Measured from the underside of the spinnaker halyard, when drawn horizontally forward from mast, to the level of the sheerline abreast the mast. The sheerline is the intersection of the deck and the hull.

Note: In some cases, 'I' and 'ISP' are the same. If your spinnaker halyard exits the mast above the upper point of 'I' as described above, then your 'ISP' will be greater than 'I'.

JSP (for boats with sprits and asymmetric spinnakers only)

JSP = spinnaker 'J' horizontal distance from mast to the forward most attachment point for the spinnaker tack.

If this location is adjustable, as with an adjustable bow pole, then measure with the bow pole fully extended on centerline.

TYPE OF RIG

Sloops come in two varieties: 'masthead,' where the forestay goes to the top of the mast; and 'fractional,' where the forestay is anchored to the mast somewhere below the top of the mast. Other types of rigs include ketch, yawl, cutter or catboat.


MAST MATERIAL

What is your mast made of? Common materials are aluminum, wood, carbon, fiberglass, and 'other.'

STANDING RIGGING MATERIAL

What material are your shrouds made of? In part, we are looking for boats that have changed their standing rigging.

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July 14th

YRA 2 / Berkeley Circle
June 16th

YRA 4 / Southampton
August 11th

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MAINSAIL

P = Mainsail Hoist (distance between bands)

E = Mainsail Foot (distance from aft edge of mast to the inner edge of the band on the boom)

HB = The total width of the top of the sail from the front of the luff rope to the top aft corner.

MGU and MGM

MGU (Main Girth Upper) and MGM (Main Girth Middle) are girths measured on your mainsail.

These girths measure the width of mainsails one-quarter and one-half the distance down the leech from the head. Measure your girths by folding the head (front corner of headboard) to the clew, smoothing the leech and marking the fold at the leech (MGM starting point). Next, fold the head to the mid-leech point and mark this new fold on the leech (MGU starting point). Now lay the sail out flat. Hold the zero end of a tape measure at the MGM starting point on the leech. Swinging an arc up and down the luff, record the minimum distance measured as your MGM. Remove the wrinkles from the area to be measured. Repeat this process for measuring your MGU.



Py and Ey are similar to P and E dimensions for the aft sail on ketches, yawls and schooners.

SYMMETRIC SPINNAKER

Symmetric spinnakers have the following characteristics: (a) luffs are of equal length;

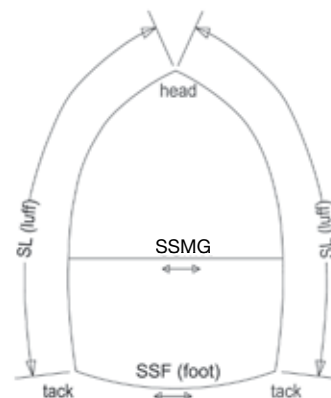
(b) the sail is symmetric about its vertical centerline.

SL = Spinnaker Luff (Refer to the NCPHRF Rules at www.yra.org for the non-penalty limit.)

SSMG (Symmetric Spinnaker Mid-Girth)

SSMG is determined by measuring the width of your sail at mid-luff to mid-luff

SSF = Spinnaker Foot Length



ASYMMETRIC/CRUISING SPINNAKERS

Non-Penalty Area Limits

Cruising/Asymmetric Spinnakers are limited in area not to exceed the area of I and J – or ISP and SPL – based 180% symmetric spinnakers for that boat. To calculate the actual area for the symmetric spinnaker, use the formula for “Area” below, substituting SL (symmetric spinnaker luff) for SLU and SLE.

The formula for determining the actual area of all types of spinnakers is as follows:

Area = (SLU+SLE) x .25 x ASF + (ASMG-.5ASF) x (SLU+SLE)/3

In the case of Symmetric Spinnakers, replace SLU and SLE with SL, ASMG with SSMG, and ASF with SSF.

SLU = Spinnaker Luff Length

SLE = Spinnaker Leech Length

ASMG = Spinnaker mid-girth measured between the mid-points of the spinnaker luff and spinnaker leech

ASF = Spinnaker foot length

Note on ASMG:

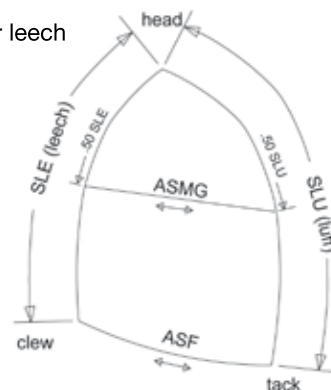
ASMG less than .75 x ASF is not allowed.

How far aft can you articulate your spinnaker tack?

0 degs (fixed)

____ degrees

We want to know if you plan on setting the tack of your cruising or asymmetric spinnaker on a pole that can be squared aft. Sails set from the bow of the boat, or from a non-rotating pole (bow sprit), are of the zero degree category. If the tack of the sail is set on a pole that can be rotated while sailing, we want to know the maximum angle of rotation, measured at the mast between the centerline of the yacht and the pole. If an asymmetric spinnaker is tacked to a spinnaker pole, articulation must be listed as 90 degrees.



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2018 CBRA Series

CBRA 1

May 12th - Berkeley Circle

CBRA 2

June 2nd - City Front

CBRA 3

August 5th - Knox

CBRA 4

August 25th - Berkeley Circle

CBRA 5

September 29th, - City Front

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Please fill out the following two fields in the “Foretriangle” box:

ISP = Spinnaker hoist, measured from the underside of the spinnaker halyard, when drawn horizontally forward from mast, to the level of the sheerline abreast the mast.

JSP = Farthest distance from front of mast to asymmetric spinnaker tack location. Note that this can be much greater than J on sprit boats.

Setting and Sheet Limits: For asymmetric spinnakers:

TACK: Sail may be tacked to the deck or to a pole. PHRF Application must state if the pole can be articulated to move the tack off hull centerline and how many degrees it can move. JSP must be recorded if greater than J.

HEAD: Halyard location may be at any height on the mast. If the dimension ISP is greater than I, then ISP must be recorded on the application.

CLEW: Sail may be sheeted consistent with the RRS. Racing Rules of Sailing can be found on the US Sailing website at: www.ussailing.org/rules.

The performance of Cruising/Asymmetric Spinnakers is not yet completely defined. Boats with excessive JSPs or ISPs and boats with the ability to move the tack of the sail off centerline may incur some rating adjustment. The PHRF Committee will be studying the performance of these various arrangements, and, if considered necessary by this committee, this rule and/or its limits may change.

HULL MEASUREMENTS

Drawings and photos are not required for well-documented production boats. However, if the boat is relatively rare, or not common in the Bay Area, drawings and/or photos are a must. We cannot rate an unknown boat using only the information on the application form. Measurements below are for the boats in ‘measured trim,’ not ‘sailing trim,’ using IMS wording. Your boat is equipped as it would be for racing, but without crew, sea bags, or consumable supplies, and with all tanks empty.

HULL

LENGTH OVERALL

How long is your boat? If it has a bowsprit, please give the length of the hull and the bowsprit separately.

WATERLINE LENGTH

How long is the part of the boat in the water? Ignore the rudder.

MAXIMUM BEAM

What is the width of your hull at its widest point?

MAXIMUM DRAFT

What is the depth of the lowest point of the keel or board below the waterline? If the boat has a lifting board or keel of any type, draft is measured with this device fully lowered. Give the change in draft with the board raised separately.

DISPLACEMENT

TOTAL

This is the weight of your boat ready to race as described above.

BALLAST

We are looking for the weight of your keel. PHRF requires minimum ballast of 400 pounds. If your boat has ‘internal ballast’, it should be included. Internal ballast is typically in the form of lead ingots bolted to the hull, and is NOT in the form of usable equipment or supplies. If your boat has been measured under some rating rule, and you have subsequently removed the internal ballast, this change must be reported in writing to the PHRF Committee.

BALLAST MATERIAL

Typical answers here are lead or iron, and sometimes water.

TRAPEZE/HIKING STRAP

These are allowed in One-Design Classes where the class rules clearly state that the hiking aids are allowed. They may not be used unless your PRHF application so indicates.

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2018

Weekend Regattas

Great Vallejo Race

April 28th & 29th

Encinal Regatta

July 28th & 29th

Westpoint Regatta

June 30th

Corinthian Regatta

Sept 29th & 30th

These destination races are some of SF Bay's longest running regattas, bringing boats of all sizes and ratings together for epic racing and fun after-race parties. We offer divisions for all boat types including PHRF boats, multihulls, sport boats, one-design classes, and divisions for short-handed crews and non-spinnaker fleets. Sign up for all 4 weekends, or pick and choose your favorite regattas.

Visit www.yra.org for notices of race, after-race information, sailing instructions and to sign up! And, don't forget to mark your calendar for our annual November Trophy Party! Trophies for all YRA races, including the Weekend Regattas, are awarded then.

Dont' forget the **Octoberfest Race**, a free regatta for all YRA racers (date TBD).

Helpful info for filling out an NCPHRF Application

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MOVABLE BALLAST

Does your boat have ballast that can be moved while sailing? The possibilities include:

- (a) Water ballast which can be moved from side to side – or discharged for runs and restored for beating.
- (b) Keels which can be inclined or canted.
- (c) And others.

Movable ballast presents several difficulties. The biggest is in US Sailing/Racing Rules of Sailing (2017-2020) Rule #51 (Moving Ballast), which states quite clearly that movable ballast is not legal when racing under the US Sailing rules. There are a (very) few races where the race instructions alter the RRS, and specifically allow movable ballast, which is why this is on the PHRF form at all. If you use movable ballast, it is your responsibility to be sure that it is legal in the races in which you are sailing. *Just because it is on your PHRF Certificate does not mean you can race with a movable ballast.*

KEEL TYPE

FIXED

If your keel cannot be moved while you are sailing, then we consider it fixed.

MOVABLE

If your keel can be moved while you are sailing, then we consider it movable, and we need to know about it. This includes keels that move up and down, pivot around a pin (swing keel), or cant from side to side.

KEEL/CENTERBOARD

This is really a sub-class of movable keels, where the boat has a conventional keel, but also has a foil that can extend down below the bottom of the keel.

ENGINE

Do you have an inboard, outboard, or no engine at all?

PROPELLER

We need to know the number of blades on the propeller, and whether they are fixed blades or folding/feathering. If the engine is an outboard, we assume the propeller is not in the water while you are racing, so in the case of outboards, we do not consider what type of propeller you have.

MODIFICATIONS

UNMODIFIED CLASS BOAT

Check this box if your boat is a serially produced yacht that has not been altered.

MODIFIED CLASS BOAT

Check this box if your boat was originally a production yacht, but has undergone changes since its original manufacture. Examples include: a new keel, change in ballast, new rudder, new mast made of different material than the original, different number of spreaders on the mast, change in hull shape, etc. Include anything that would make you *unwelcome* racing against your unmodified sisterships.

NON-CLASS CUSTOM BOAT

Check this box if your boat is essentially a one-of-a-kind custom boat. If your boat is of this type, please refer to the NCPHRF Rules at www.yra.org for information we will need to handicap your boat.

DESCRIBE MODIFICATIONS

Please explain modifications, movable ballast, hiking aids here. Please feel free to write on the back of the form if you need more space.

RATING FEES

New Certificates: YRA Members, \$50; Non-Members, \$75

Renewals: YRA Members, \$35; Non-Members, \$65

Out of Area Certificates (boats hailing from outside of US Sailing Area G): \$75

CHANGES TO EXISTING CERTIFICATES

YRA Members: No charge

Non-Members: \$30

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA PHRF RATING APPLICATION 2018

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THIS FORM IS FOR BOATS NOT PREVIOUSLY RATED OR BOATS WHICH DID NOT HAVE A 2017 CERTIFICATE.

The NCPHRF Committee has no responsibility for the seaworthiness or safety of yachts rated, but cites US SAILING Fundamental Rule 4, "It shall be the sole responsibility of each yacht to decide whether or not to start or to continue to race".

Name: _____	Boat Name: _____	Sail Number: _____
Street: _____	Boat Model: _____	
City, State, Zip: _____	Manufacturer: _____	Yr Built: _____
Evening Phone: _____	Daytime Phone: _____	Designer: _____
Email Address: _____	U.S. Sailing #: _____	YRA Member #: _____
Yacht Club Affiliation: _____	Marina: _____	Berth/Slip #: _____

Please refer to the NCPHRF Rules and Guidelines for assistance in successfully completing this application

Do you want an ODR (One Design Rating)?

What is the source of the information provided?

Circle all that apply.

YES NO N/A

Measurement Certificate Sales Brochure Class Rules Sailmaker Designer Own Measurement

Please provide accurate drawings or pictures showing side and end views of your boat from deck to bottom of keel and attach to this application. Where possible, give measurements in feet and decimals.

Foretriangle I: <input type="text"/> J: <input type="text"/> Largest Headsail: <input type="text"/> % J SPL: <input type="text"/> ISP: <input type="text"/> JSP: <input type="text"/> Type of Rig: <input type="text"/> Mast Material: <input type="text"/> Standing Rigging Material: <input type="text"/>	Main P: <input type="text"/> E: <input type="text"/> HB: <input type="text"/> MGU: <input type="text"/> MGM: <input type="text"/> Mizzen PY: <input type="text"/> EY: <input type="text"/>	Symmetric Spinnaker Yes/No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, complete the following: SL: <input type="text"/> SSMG: <input type="text"/> SSF: <input type="text"/>	Asymmetric/Cruising Spinnaker Yes/No <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, complete the following: SLU: <input type="text"/> How far aft can you articulate your spinnaker tack? If an Asymmetric spinnaker is tacked to a spinnaker pole, articulation must be listed as 90 deg SLE: <input type="text"/> ASMG: <input type="text"/> ASF: <input type="text"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Fixed @ 0 deg or: <input type="text"/> Degrees	
Hull Length Overall: <input type="text"/> Waterline length: <input type="text"/> Maximum Beam: <input type="text"/> Maximum Draft: <input type="text"/>	Displacement Total: <input type="text"/> lbs Ballast: <input type="text"/> lbs Ballast Material: <input type="text"/> # of Trapezes/Hiking Straps: <input type="text"/> Is any of your ballast moveable? <input type="checkbox"/>	Keel Fixed, Moveable or Keel/Centerboard? <input type="text"/>	Engine Inboard, Outboard or None? <input type="text"/>	Propeller # of Blades (2 or 3)? <input type="text"/> Fixed, Folding or Feathering? <input type="text"/>

This is a: (check one) Unmodified Class Boat ☐ Modified Class Boat: ☐ Non Class (Custom) Boat ☐

Modifications Describe modifications/Comments/Moveable Ballast/Trapeze or Hiking Straps below:

The NCPHRF rating certificate is a contract between you, the NCPHRF Committee, and your competitors. You and your competitors expect this form to be accurate and that the reported characteristics will be maintained while racing. Failure to advise the NCPHRF Committee in writing of ANY modification to your boat which will alter its sailing performance may be grounds for protest and disqualification of the yacht. Your rating is valid through December 31 of the year issued. I certify that the above information is accurate and correct, that I have read the NORTHERN CALIFORNIA PHRF RULES AND GUIDELINES, and concur with, and agree to sail by those terms and conditions.

Signature of owner _____

Date: _____

Rating Fees: \$100 (includes YRA membership) or \$50 (YRA member with a current membership) or \$75 (Non-YRA Member and out of area vessels)

Make check payable to YRA. To pay by MasterCard or VISA please provide card information below, including billing street address and zip code

Card Number: _____ Exp Date: _____ CVW # _____ Name on Card: _____

Card Holder's Signature: _____ Billing Address: _____

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